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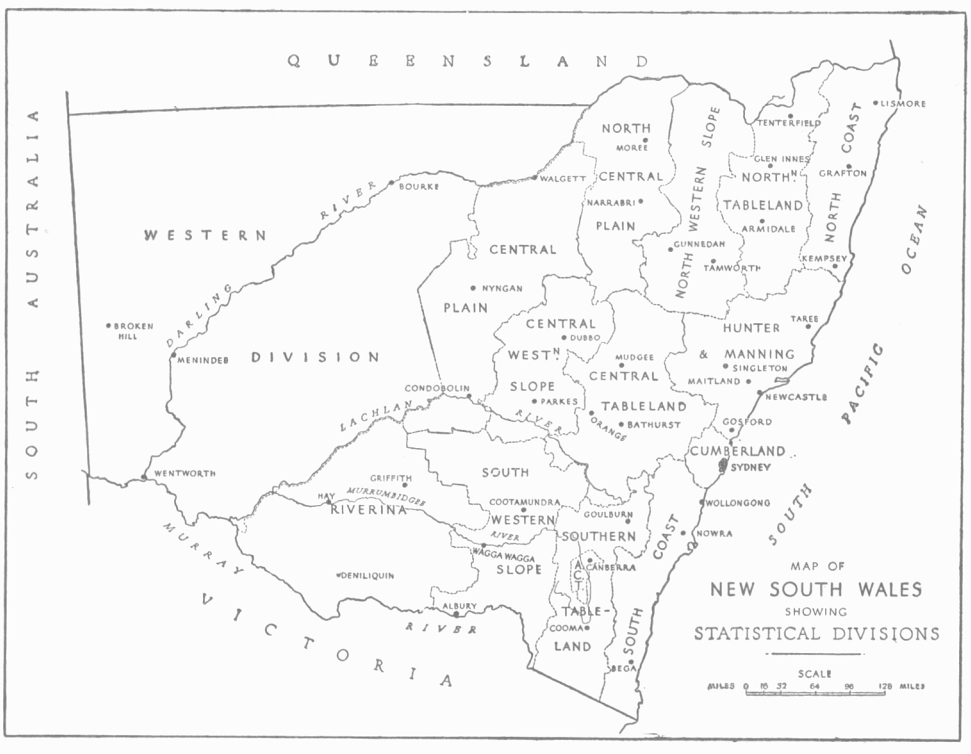

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67	38	Figures for 1958 should read:-	
		Plaints Entered	94,038
		Verdicts for Plaintiff -	
		Number	39,366
		Amount	708,684
		Executions Issued	13,617
		Garnishee Orders Issued	11,397
79	2	For the Sydney Wholesale Price in December, 1957 of -	
		Cheese (1lb.): "2s.6¼d." should read "2s.6¾d."	
		Cornflour (1lb.): "1s.9.6d." should read "1s.9.1d".	

PREFACE

This issue of the *Social Condition* Part of the *Statistical Register of New South Wales* contains statistics for 1958 and earlier years.

The statistics given in this publication should be read in conjunction with the *Official Year Book of New South Wales*. For the latest figures in the principal statistical series, the reader should refer to other publications of the Bureau, particularly the *Statistical Bulletin* and the *Monthly Summary of Business Statistics*.

My thanks are tendered to the responsible officers of the various State and Commonwealth authorities and to others who have supplied information, often at considerable trouble.

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No. 1. Expenditure by the State on Education, Museums, Libraries, etc., 1954–55 to 1958–59

Head of Expenditure	Year ended 30th June				
	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959
	£	£	£	£	£
REVENUE EXPENDITURE					
EDUCATION—					
Primary and Secondary Education and Administrative Expenses of Department of Education	24,949,487	27,635,008	29,339,002	31,463,504	34,836,944
Training of Teachers, including Allowances	1,236,123	1,431,371	1,662,262	1,914,558	2,229,100
Bursaries and Scholarships	74,600	88,338	93,600	97,654	97,385
Total, Primary and Secondary Education	26,260,210	29,154,717	31,094,864	33,475,716	37,163,429
Technical Education	2,750,077	3,090,443	3,250,051	3,456,978	3,710,609
Aid to Universities—					
University of Sydney	854,950	481,200	898,700	1,128,700	1,436,700
University of New England	317,750	269,350	353,100	503,100	748,100
University of New South Wales*	878,516	996,251	1,048,729	1,196,115	1,345,578
Agricultural Colleges	238,258	259,689	250,798	290,504	318,306
Conservatorium of Music	60,397	52,310	48,732	54,161	52,904
Aid to other Educational Institutions, etc.	221,192	253,424	243,833	276,461	279,036
Total, Education	31,581,350	34,557,384	37,188,807	40,381,735	45,054,662
MUSEUMS, LIBRARIES, ETC.—					
Australian Museum	62,628	71,163	70,150	79,642	89,732
Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences	50,590	59,404	52,369	51,451	58,771
Public Library and Library Board	383,190	410,794	424,647	492,339	718,904
National Art Gallery	35,546	32,018	33,684	36,860	41,140
Observatory	10,674	12,627	13,013	16,404	15,868
Subsidies to Associations and Institutions	59,850	37,150	52,150	137,400	53,300
Total, Museums, Libraries, etc.	602,478	623,156	646,013	814,096	977,715
Total Revenue Expenditure	32,183,828	35,180,540	37,834,820	41,195,831	46,032,377
LOAN EXPENDITURE (GROSS)					
EDUCATION—					
Buildings, etc.—					
Furniture Workshops	58,621	55,214	46,153	36,489	16,360
Primary and Secondary Schools	4,231,020	4,680,695	5,406,474	7,296,841	9,034,544
Teachers' Colleges	105,696	67,848	85,885	61,331	166,034
Technical Colleges and Technological Museums ...	810,163	717,861	752,001	765,763	1,049,800
Universities—					
University of Sydney	250,000	250,000	250,000	300,000	300,000
University of New England	...	150,000	200,000	125,000	200,000
University of New South Wales*	800,000	650,000	600,000	600,000	760,000
Conservatorium of Music	...	...	...	3,728	...
Agricultural Colleges	145,677	135,151	112,980	38,006	16,259
Total, Education	6,401,177	6,706,769	7,453,493	9,227,158	11,542,997
TOTAL REVENUE AND LOAN EXPENDITURE	38,585,005	41,887,309	45,288,313	50,422,989	57,575,374

* University of Technology until 1958.

No. 2. Expenditure by the State on Education, 1948-49 to 1958-59

Year ended 30th June.	Primary and Secondary.	Technical.	Universities.	Agricultural Colleges.	Other.	Total.			Total Expenditure per Head of Population.
						From Revenue.	From Loan (Gross).	Total Expenditure.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1949	10,078,331	1,649,247	298,498	90,235	55,874	11,206,662	965,523	12,172,185	3 19 10
1950	11,991,509	1,950,675	444,329	156,696	94,664	13,170,263	1,467,610	14,637,873	4 13 1
1951	15,129,202	2,197,889	762,858	229,017	157,021	15,846,273	2,629,714	18,475,987	5 14 1
1952	20,194,602	2,649,498	1,638,188	278,170	176,342	20,513,482	4,423,318	24,936,800	7 10 7
1953	24,194,029	2,788,860	1,634,920	290,206	206,727	25,095,988	4,018,754	29,114,742	8 13 0
1954	26,034,622	3,112,551	2,805,010	339,463	258,993	27,270,125	5,280,514	32,550,639	9 11 2
1955	30,596,926	3,560,240	3,101,216	383,935	340,210	31,581,350	6,401,177	37,982,527	10 19 7
1956	33,903,260	3,808,304	2,796,801	394,840	360,948	34,557,384	6,706,769	41,264,153	11 14 2
1957	36,587,223	4,002,052	3,350,529	363,778	338,718	37,188,807	7,453,493	44,642,300	12 8 10
1958	40,833,888	4,222,741	3,852,915	328,510	370,839	40,381,735	9,227,158	49,608,893	13 11 3
1959	46,364,007	4,760,409	4,790,378	334,565	348,300	45,054,662	11,542,997	56,597,659	15 3 10

No. 3. Expenditure by the State on Public Primary and Secondary Education, 1948-49 to 1958-59

Year ended 30th June.	Expenditure from Revenue.		Loan (Gross) Expenditure.		Revenue and Loan (Gross) Expenditure.		
	Total.	Per Pupil. *	Total.	Per Pupil. *	Total.	Per Pupil. *	Per Head of Population.
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1949	9,524,084	26 19 3	554,247	1 11 5	10,078,331	28 10 8	3 6 1
1950	11,084,200	30 2 8	907,309	2 9 4	11,991,509	32 12 0	3 16 3
1951	13,102,022	33 18 8	2,027,180	5 5 0	15,129,202	39 3 8	4 13 5
1952	17,052,262	41 14 10	3,142,340	7 13 10	20,194,602	49 8 8	6 1 11
1953	21,203,824	48 19 9	2,990,205	6 18 2	24,194,029	55 17 11	7 3 9
1954	22,509,125	49 10 8	3,525,497	7 15 2	26,034,622	57 5 10	7 12 11
1955	26,260,210	55 6 9	4,336,716	9 2 9	30,596,926	64 9 6	8 16 11
1956	29,154,717	58 4 6	4,747,193	9 9 7	33,901,910	67 14 1	9 12 5
1957	31,094,864	59 12 2	5,492,359	10 10 7	36,587,223	70 2 9	10 3 11
1958	33,475,716	61 11 10	7,358,172	13 10 9	40,833,888	75 2 7	11 3 3
1959	37,163,429	65 17 9	9,200,578	16 6 3	46,364,007	82 4 0	12 8 10

* Based on the average weekly enrolment.

No. 4. Public and Private Schools : Schools, Teachers, and Pupils, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Schools.			Teachers.			Pupils— Average Weekly Enrolment.‡		
	Public. *	Private.	Total.	Public Schools. †	Private Schools.	Total.	Public Schools.	Private Schools.	Total.
1948	2,617	720	3,337	12,243	4,294	16,537	348,855	114,066	462,921
1949	2,603	716	3,319	12,563	4,343	16,906	362,258	118,560	480,818
1950	2,578	729	3,307	13,126	4,469	17,595	378,710	124,370	503,080
1951	2,525	740	3,265	13,602	4,542	18,144	398,899	130,790	529,689
1952	2,530	750	3,280	14,169	4,623	18,792	424,152	138,306	562,458
1953	2,533	760	3,293	14,989	4,766	19,755	448,914	145,380	594,294
1954	2,557	768	3,325	15,521	4,826	20,347	467,441	151,882	619,323
1955	2,595	780	3,375	16,214	4,936	21,150	490,595	160,029	650,624
1956	2,614	789	3,403	16,724	5,054	21,778	510,848	167,035	677,883
1957	2,639	788	3,427	17,486	5,235	22,721	532,813	172,720	705,533
1958	2,660	783	3,443	18,266	5,320	23,586	554,223	181,007	735,230

* Excludes Evening Colleges.

† Includes teachers of subsidised schools.

‡ The Average Weekly Enrolment includes pupils temporarily absent through illness or other causes but excludes those known to have left the school.

No. 5. Public and Private Schools: Average Weekly Enrolment*, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Public Schools. †			Private Schools.			Public and Private Schools.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
1948	180,981	167,874	348,855	55,952	58,114	114,066	236,933	225,988	462,921
1949	187,658	174,600	362,258	57,936	60,624	118,560	245,594	235,224	480,818
1950	196,210	182,500	378,710	60,619	63,751	124,370	256,829	246,251	503,080
1951	206,622	192,277	398,899	64,002	66,788	130,790	270,624	259,065	529,689
1952	219,547	204,605	424,152	67,896	70,410	138,306	287,443	275,015	562,458
1953	232,953	215,961	448,914	71,189	74,191	145,380	304,142	290,152	594,294
1954	242,703	224,738	467,441	74,318	77,564	151,882	317,021	302,302	619,323
1955	254,885	235,710	490,595	78,350	81,679	160,029	333,235	317,389	650,624
1956	265,128	245,720	510,848	82,023	85,012	167,035	347,151	330,732	677,883
1957	277,147	255,666	532,813	84,249	88,471	172,720	361,396	344,137	705,533
1958	288,435	265,788	554,223	89,120	91,887	181,007	377,555	357,675	735,230

* See note ‡, Table 4. † Includes Subsidised Schools, but excludes Evening Colleges.

No. 6. Public and Private Schools: Age and Sex of Pupils, August, 1948 to 1958

Effective Enrolment*

First Week in August.	Under 6 Years.			6 Years and under 15 Years.			15 Years and over.			Total, All Ages.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
Public Schools†												
1954	23,470	22,029	45,499	211,888	197,691	409,579	11,140	8,382	19,522	246,498	228,102	474,600
1955	25,149	23,546	48,695	221,374	206,086	427,460	11,732	8,663	20,395	258,255	238,295	496,550
1956	25,702	24,269	49,971	231,255	214,730	445,985	12,810	9,608	22,418	269,767	248,607	518,374
1957	26,121	25,095	51,216	240,055	222,952	463,007	14,846	10,912	25,758	281,022	258,959	539,981
1958	27,237	25,668	52,905	248,703	231,295	479,998	16,537	11,996	28,533	292,477	268,959	561,436
Private Schools												
1954	7,670	7,925	15,595	60,363	64,106	124,469	6,699	6,083	12,782	74,732	78,114	152,846
1955	8,431	8,759	17,190	63,493	67,365	130,858	7,275	5,939	13,214	79,199	82,063	161,262
1956	8,261	8,414	16,675	67,288	70,858	138,146	7,528	6,455	13,983	83,077	85,727	168,804
1957	8,260	8,428	16,688	69,711	73,350	143,061	8,294	6,978	15,272	86,265	88,756	175,021
1958	8,787	9,086	17,873	72,719	76,015	148,734	8,477	7,199	15,676	89,983	92,300	182,283
Public and Private Schools												
1948	22,209	21,491	43,700	203,168	197,229	400,397	14,749	10,586	25,335	240,126	229,306	469,432
1949	25,058	24,717	49,775	210,555	204,618	415,173	14,183	10,399	24,582	249,796	239,734	489,530
1950	25,943	25,607	51,550	221,048	213,919	434,967	14,328	10,841	25,169	261,319	250,367	511,686
1951	27,172	26,165	53,337	233,081	225,804	458,885	15,090	11,613	26,703	275,343	263,582	538,925
1952	32,147	31,424	63,571	243,504	235,399	478,903	16,157	12,850	29,007	291,808	279,673	571,481
1953	31,142	30,084	61,226	259,529	250,082	509,611	17,760	13,922	31,682	308,431	294,088	602,519
1954	31,140	29,954	61,094	272,251	261,797	534,048	17,839	14,465	32,304	321,230	306,216	627,446
1955	33,580	32,305	65,885	284,867	273,451	558,318	19,007	14,602	33,609	337,454	320,358	657,812
1956	33,963	32,683	66,646	298,543	285,588	584,131	20,338	16,063	36,401	352,844	334,334	687,178
1957	34,381	33,523	67,904	309,766	296,302	606,068	23,140	17,890	41,030	367,287	347,715	715,002
1958	36,024	34,754	70,778	321,422	307,310	628,732	25,014	19,195	44,209	382,460	361,259	743,719

* Effective Enrolment is the actual enrolment at a date, exclusive of pupils believed to have left the school.
† Excludes Subsidised Schools and Evening Colleges.

No. 7. Public and Private Schools: Ages of Pupils, August, 1948 to 1958

Effective Enrolment*

First Week in August.	Ages of Pupils—Years.											
	Under 6.	6 and under 7.	7 and under 8.	8 and under 9.	9 and under 10.	10 and under 11.	11 and under 12.	12 and under 13.	13 and under 14.	14 and under 15.	15 and over.	Total Pupils.
Public Schools†												
1954	45,499	53,896	59,165	48,643	48,173	46,374	41,085	40,505	36,997	34,741	19,522	474,600
1955	48,695	53,718	54,563	58,702	49,102	48,498	46,702	40,768	39,810	35,597	20,395	496,550
1956	49,971	55,377	54,127	54,461	59,276	49,270	48,720	45,561	40,109	39,084	22,418	518,374
1957	51,216	55,599	56,430	54,270	54,724	59,503	49,683	48,109	45,407	39,282	25,758	539,981
1958	52,905	56,659	56,315	55,997	54,606	54,958	60,034	49,285	47,706	44,438	28,533	561,436
Private Schools												
1954	15,595	14,902	16,477	14,603	13,838	13,994	12,894	13,347	12,810	11,604	12,782	152,846
1955	17,190	14,960	16,201	16,515	15,030	14,591	14,352	13,524	13,553	12,132	13,214	161,262
1956	16,675	16,319	16,037	16,271	17,349	15,471	14,739	15,210	13,811	12,939	13,983	168,804
1957	16,688	16,347	16,748	16,076	16,551	17,458	15,639	15,609	15,425	13,208	15,272	175,021
1968	17,873	16,673	16,925	17,083	16,278	16,947	17,951	16,464	15,984	14,429	15,676	182,283
Public and Private Schools												
1948	43,700	50,188	47,612	45,768	45,440	44,932	44,868	43,408	40,979	37,202	25,335	469,432
1949	49,775	49,958	52,009	47,910	46,768	45,968	45,321	45,226	43,203	38,810	24,582	489,530
1950	51,550	56,638	52,257	51,694	48,678	47,416	46,490	45,532	45,677	40,585	25,169	511,686
1951	53,337	60,153	59,560	52,281	53,299	49,746	46,985	46,831	46,472	43,558	26,703	538,925
1952	63,571	61,726	62,425	59,645	52,947	53,531	49,957	48,241	46,949	43,482	29,007	571,481
1953	61,226	73,439	64,134	61,953	59,533	54,049	53,195	49,939	48,179	45,190	31,682	602,519
1954	61,094	68,798	75,642	63,246	62,011	60,368	53,979	53,852	49,807	46,345	32,304	627,446
1955	65,885	68,678	70,764	75,217	64,132	63,089	61,054	54,292	53,363	47,729	33,609	657,812
1956	66,646	71,696	70,164	70,732	76,625	64,741	63,459	60,771	53,920	52,023	36,401	687,178
1957	67,904	71,946	73,178	70,346	71,275	76,961	65,322	63,718	60,832	52,490	41,030	715,002
1958	70,778	73,332	73,240	73,080	70,884	71,905	77,985	65,749	63,690	58,867	44,209	743,719

* See note * Table 6. † Excludes Subsidised Schools and Evening Colleges.

No. 8. Public and Private Schools: Age and Sex of Pupils, August, 1958

Effective Enrolment*

Age in Years.	Public Schools.†			Private Schools.			Public and Private Schools.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
Under 5	1,179	1,115	2,294	1,013	998	2,011	2,192	2,113	4,305
5 and under 6	26,058	24,553	50,611	7,774	8,088	15,862	33,832	32,641	66,473
6 ,, ,, 7	29,081	27,578	56,659	8,305	8,368	16,673	37,386	35,946	73,332
7 ,, ,, 8	28,982	27,333	56,315	8,459	8,466	16,925	37,441	35,799	73,240
8 ,, ,, 9	28,950	27,047	55,997	8,370	8,713	17,083	37,320	35,760	73,080
9 ,, ,, 10	28,289	26,317	54,606	7,919	8,359	16,278	36,208	34,676	70,884
10 ,, ,, 11	28,533	26,425	54,958	8,251	8,696	16,947	36,784	35,121	71,905
11 ,, ,, 12	31,066	28,968	60,034	8,920	9,031	17,951	39,986	37,999	77,985
12 ,, ,, 13	25,739	23,546	49,285	8,057	8,407	16,464	33,796	31,953	65,749
13 ,, ,, 14	24,730	22,976	47,706	7,646	8,338	15,984	32,376	31,314	63,690
14 ,, ,, 15	23,333	21,105	44,438	6,792	7,637	14,429	30,125	28,742	58,867
15 ,, ,, 16	10,552	8,200	18,752	4,306	4,161	8,467	14,858	12,361	27,219
16 ,, ,, 17	4,313	2,956	7,269	2,692	2,284	4,976	7,005	5,240	12,245
17 and over	1,672	840	2,512	1,479	754	2,233	3,151	1,594	4,745
Total ...	292,477	268,959	561,436	89,983	92,300	182,283	382,460	361,259	743,719

* See note *, Table 6.
† Excluding Subsidised Schools and Evening Colleges.

No. 9. Public and Private Schools: Cases of Unsatisfactory Attendance, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Public Schools.			Private Schools.			Public and Private Schools.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
1948	6,749	5,245	11,994	614	604	1,218	7,363	5,849	13,212
1949	6,620	4,950	11,570	731	645	1,376	7,351	5,595	12,946
1950	6,450	4,768	11,218	610	569	1,179	7,060	5,337	12,397
1951	5,862	4,674	10,536	628	593	1,221	6,490	5,267	11,757
1952	6,364	4,853	11,217	643	545	1,188	7,007	5,398	12,405
1953	5,780	4,402	10,182	570	495	1,065	6,350	4,897	11,247
1954	5,800	4,551	10,351	623	525	1,148	6,423	5,076	11,499
1955	6,257	4,813	11,070	816	869	1,685	7,073	5,682	12,755
1956	6,355	5,187	11,542	858	785	1,643	7,213	5,972	13,185
1957	6,204	4,790	10,994	825	750	1,575	7,029	5,540	12,569
1958	6,416	4,598	11,014	788	725	1,513	7,204	5,323	12,527

No. 10. Public and Private Schools: Exemptions from School Attendance, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Exemptions Granted.			Exemptions Declined.			Exemptions Withdrawn.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
1948	885	1,656	2,541	719	767	1,486	112	128	240
1949	820	1,342	2,162	742	699	1,441	83	93	176
1950	1,183	1,613	2,796	616	593	1,209	128	122	250
1951	1,376	1,865	3,241	387	458	845	90	106	196
1952	1,610	1,956	3,566	501	478	979	45	62	107
1953	1,450	1,869	3,319	354	392	746	60	79	139
1954	1,541	1,987	3,528	423	410	833	55	66	121
1955	1,799	2,271	4,070	524	482	1,006	68	77	145
1956	1,751	2,173	3,924	487	431	918	68	75	143
1957	1,890	2,206	4,096	428	409	837	55	51	106
1958	1,902	2,408	4,310	350	346	696	20	24	44

No. 11. Public and Private Schools: Reasons for Exemptions from School Attendance, 1951–52 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Domestic Necessity.			Health.			Necessitous Circumstances.			Attendance at Business College, etc.			Total Exemptions Granted.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
1952	107	670	777	44	64	108	731	470	1,201	728	752	1,480	1,610	1,956	3,566
1953	63	583	646	30	54	84	695	501	1,196	662	731	1,393	1,450	1,869	3,319
1954	66	581	647	37	60	97	524	422	946	914	924	1,838	1,541	1,987	3,528
1955	108	604	712	29	72	101	441	346	787	1,221	1,249	2,470	1,799	2,271	4,070
1956	104	588	692	37	57	94	563	412	975	1,047	1,116	2,163	1,751	2,173	3,924
1957	71	566	637	27	52	79	615	428	1,043	1,186	1,151	2,337	1,899	2,197	4,096
1958	58	475	533	22	62	84	443	369	812	1,405	1,476	2,881	1,928	2,382	4,310

No. 12. Public Examinations: Candidates and Passes, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Intermediate Certificate Examination.			Leaving Certificate Examination.		
	Candidates.	Passes.	Proportion of Passes.	Candidates.	Passes.	Proportion of Passes.
			per cent.			Per cent.
1948	19,148	15,554	81·2	6,207	4,635	74·7
1949	19,596	17,380	88·7	5,903	4,406	74·6
1950	20,597	18,164	88·2	5,935	4,211	71·0
1951	21,776	19,286	88·5	6,032	4,434	73·5
1952	24,067	20,906	86·9	6,471	4,761	73·5
1953	25,465	22,019	86·4	7,065	5,405	76·5
1954	26,682	23,168	86·8	7,564	6,002	79·4
1955	28,294	24,603	86·9	7,903	6,253	79·1
1956	31,054	27,054	87·1	9,044	6,875	76·0
1957	34,453	29,973	87·0	10,073	7,657	76·0
1958	38,734	33,786	87·2	11,354	8,640	76·1

No. 13. Public Schools: Classification, 1955 to 1958

Primary Schools					Secondary Schools				
Type of School.	Number at end of Year.				Type of School.	Number at end of Year.			
	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.		1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.
Public	1,973	2,006	2,028	2,411	High	97	110	119	137
Provisional	409	382	376	...	Junior High ...	8	5	2	2
Correspondence ...	1	1	1	1	Junior Technical ...	11	12	10	10
Nursery*	7	7	7	7	Home Science ...	10	11	10	6
Separate Nursery ...	2	2	3	3	Central†—				
Special—					Intermediate High	36	32	33	32
Hospital	24	25	25	24	Junior Technical ...	13	12	11	9
Child Welfare ...	15	12	13	14	Home Science ...	20	19	19	19
Other	12	14	15	16	District Rural ...	12	12	12	12
Subsidised	33	34	37	36	Other...	115	109	111	106
					Correspondence † ...	1	1	1	1
Total, Primary ...	2,476	2,483	2,505	2,512	Total, Secondary	323	323	328	334

* Nursery departments attached to primary schools.

† Central Schools and the Correspondence School include a primary and a secondary department, and are also counted as primary "public" schools. The number of individual public schools at the end of 1958 was 2,660, excluding 38 evening colleges.

No. 14. Public Schools: Teaching Staff, 1948 to 1958

At 30th. June	Teachers in Public Schools.					Teachers in Subsidised Schools.			Total Teachers.		
	Males.	Females.	All Teachers.			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
			Graduates.	Others.	Total						
1948	6,142	5,983	2,182	9,943	12,125	12	106	118	6,154	6,089	12,243
1949	6,388	6,083	2,396	10,075	12,471	11	81	92	6,399	6,164	12,563
1950	6,710	6,343	2,639	10,414	13,053	5	68	73	6,715	6,411	13,126
1951	6,998	6,544	2,780	10,762	13,542	3	57	60	7,001	6,601	13,602
1952	7,224	6,884	2,772	11,336	14,108	5	56	61	7,229	6,940	14,169
1953	7,555	7,390	2,989	11,956	14,945	5	39	44	7,560	7,429	14,989
1954	7,930	7,548	3,102	12,376	15,478	5	38	43	7,935	7,586	15,521
1955	8,321	7,859	3,119	13,061	16,180	4	30	34	8,325	7,889	16,214
1956	8,602	8,088	3,190	13,500	16,690	4	30	34	8,606	8,118	16,724
1957	8,791	8,658	3,246	14,203	17,449	4	33	37	8,795	8,691	17,486
1958	9,294	8,972	3,343	14,923	18,266	4	32	36	9,298	9,004	18,302

No. 15. Public Schools: Pupils, 1948 to 1958

Includes Subsidised Schools, but excludes Evening Colleges

Year.	Average Weekly Enrolment.*			Average Daily Attendance.†			Proportion of Attendance to Enrolment.	Individual Pupils Enrolled. ‡
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.		
							Per cent.	
1948	180,981	167,874	348,855	158,239	145,831	304,070	87·9	381,088
1949	187,658	174,600	362,258	166,081	153,565	319,646	88·2	394,417
1950	196,210	182,500	378,710	170,408	157,538	327,946	86·6	414,918
1951	206,622	192,277	398,899	181,636	168,130	349,766	87·7	432,747
1952	219,547	204,605	424,152	195,032	181,066	376,098	88·7	453,632
1953	232,953	215,961	448,914	208,772	192,907	401,679	89·5	478,546
1954	242,703	224,738	467,441	216,185	199,675	415,860	89·0	501,923
1955	254,885	235,710	490,595	228,675	210,512	439,187	89·5	525,298
1956	265,128	245,720	510,848	238,400	219,501	457,901	89·6	528,753
1957	277,147	255,666	532,813	249,398	229,319	478,717	89·8	539,781
1958	288,435	265,788	554,223	262,142	240,501	502,643	90·7	561,272

* See note ‡, Table 4.

† The "average daily attendance" is based on the attendance on each school day in the year.

‡ The "individual" enrolment represents the number of individual children who attended a public school during the whole or some portion of the year, those who attended more than one school being counted only once.

No. 16. Public Schools: Pupils receiving Primary Education*, 1948 to 1958

Includes Subsidised Schools

Year.	Average Weekly Enrolment.†			Average Daily Attendance.‡			Ratio of Attendance to Enrolment.
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	
							Per cent.
1948	138,924	129,809	268,733	120,688	112,184	232,872	86·7
1949	144,832	135,626	280,458	127,647	118,888	246,535	87·9
1950	151,410	141,712	293,122	130,868	121,826	252,694	86·2
1951	160,312	149,664	309,976	140,480	130,414	270,894	87·4
1952	170,701	159,464	330,165	151,216	140,763	291,979	88·4
1953	181,306	168,264	349,570	162,357	150,188	312,545	89·4
1954	189,539	175,679	365,218	168,397	155,682	324,079	88·7
1955	198,194	184,102	382,296	177,537	164,181	341,718	89·4
1956	204,360	190,305	394,665	183,436	169,702	353,138	89·5
1957	212,427	197,148	409,575	191,259	176,711	367,970	89·8
1958	218,238	202,716	420,954	198,237	183,102	381,339	90·6

* Includes Composite Classes in 1957 and later years. † See note ‡, Table 4. ‡ See note †, Table 15.

No. 17. Public Schools: Pupils receiving Secondary Education* 1948 to 1958

Excludes Evening Colleges

Year.	Average Weekly Enrolment.†			Average Daily Attendance.‡			Ratio of Attendance to Enrolment.
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	
							Per cent.
1948	42,057	38,065	80,122	37,551	33,647	71,198	88·9
1949	42,826	38,974	81,800	38,434	34,677	73,111	89·4
1950	44,800	40,788	85,588	39,540	35,712	75,252	87·9
1951	46,310	42,613	88,923	41,156	37,716	78,872	88·7
1952	48,846	45,141	93,987	43,816	40,303	84,119	89.5
1953	51,646	47,698	99,344	46,415	42,719	89,134	89.7
1954	53,164	49,059	102,223	47,789	43,992	91,781	89.8
1955	56,691	51,608	108,299	51,138	46,331	97,469	90·1
1956	60,768	55,416	116,184	54,964	49,799	104,763	90·2
1957	64,719	58,518	123,237	58,139	52,608	110,747	89·9
1958	70,197	63,072	133,269	63,905	57,399	121,304	91·0

* Excludes Composite Classes in 1957 and later years. † See note ‡, Table 4. ‡ See note †, Table 15.

No. 18. Public Schools: Secondary Pupils by Type of School, 1948 to 1958

Average Weekly Enrolment*

Year.	High.	Junior High.	Intermediate High.	Commercial. †	Junior Technical.	Home Science.	District Rural.	Other. ‡	Correspondence.	Conservatorium.	Total.‡
1948	31,187	3,706	10,006	979	9,245	11,426	2,159	10,629	729	56	80,122
1949	32,651	2,535	10,747	...	10,325	11,774	2,436	10,584	690	58	81,800
1950	35,126	2,769	11,030	...	10,636	12,591	2,444	10,154	778	60	85,588
1951	36,284	3,636	11,026	...	10,826	13,066	2,610	10,483	933	59	88,923
1952	38,887	3,483	11,283	...	11,407	13,670	2,690	11,315	1,192	60	93,987
1953	41,234	4,988	11,257	...	11,912	14,264	2,756	11,220	1,653	60	99,344
1954	45,221	5,159	10,708	...	12,158	13,561	2,804	10,772	1,778	62	102,223
1955	56,314	3,125	8,437	...	12,027	13,988	2,282	10,316	1,751	59	108,299
1956	66,475	1,831	7,352	...	12,177	14,315	2,345	9,904	1,724	61	116,184
1957	76,827	937	9,359	...	11,445	13,298	2,374	7,064	1,870	63	123,237
1958	91,799	969	7,484	...	10,959	10,498	2,547	6,977	1,974	62	133,269

* See note ‡, Table 4.
‡ Excludes Composite Classes in 1957 and later years.
† This designation was abolished in 1949.

No. 19. Public Schools: Primary Pupils according to Age and Class, August, 1958

Effective Enrolment*

Excludes Subsidised Schools

Age.	Kindergarten.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	4th Class.	5th Class.	6th Class.	Hospital Schools.	Opportunity Classes.	Total.
Years.										
Under 5	2,227	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	21	2,294
5 and under 6	47,976	2,545	2	...	...	...	...	62	26	50,611
6 ,, ,, 7	9,663	46,056	826	7	...	...	...	89	18	56,659
7 ,, ,, 8	252	19,015	36,280	610	5	...	...	102	51	56,315
8 ,, ,, 9	46	1,402	21,520	32,023	841	2	...	116	47	55,997
9 ,, ,, 10	4	181	1,824	22,437	29,152	729	7	128	144	54,606
10 ,, ,, 11	2	52	294	2,989	22,505	27,608	678	145	685	54,958
11 ,, ,, 12	1	22	69	439	3,961	24,551	29,346	182	906	59,477
12 ,, ,, 13	...	8	20	110	623	4,677	22,667	163	378	28,646
13 ,, ,, 14	...	6	8	44	146	706	3,852	119	198	5,079
14 ,, ,, 15	...	...	2	13	39	120	471	165	106	916
15 and over	...	...	3	9	23	27	56	161	85	364
Total	60,171	69,287	60,848	58,681	57,295	58,420	57,077	1,478	2,665	425,922

* See note *, Table 6.

No. 20. Public Schools: Secondary Pupils according to Age and Class, August, 1958

Effective Enrolment*

Excludes Evening Colleges

Age.	1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Opportunity Classes	Total.
Years.							
Under 12	554	...	...	...	...	3	557
12 and under 13	19,957	399	1	...	...	282	20,639
13 ,, ,, 14	18,822	18,158	355	1	...	5,291	42,627
14 ,, ,, 15	3,728	16,811	16,368	255	...	6,360	43,522
15 ,, ,, 16	205	1,995	10,533	4,971	125	722	18,551
16 ,, ,, 17	14	58	997	2,650	3,442	40	7,201
17 ,, ,, 18	5	1	37	236	1,801	5	2,085
18 and over	4	2	4	27	289	6	332
Total	43,289	37,424	28,295	8,140	5,657	12,709	135,514

* See note *, Table 6.

No. 21. Public Schools: Age and Sex of Pupils, August, 1948 to 1958

Effective Enrolment*

Excludes Subsidised Schools and Evening Colleges

First Week in August.	Ages of Pupils—Years													
	Under 6. †	6 and under 7.	7 and under 8.	8 and under 9.	9 and under 10.	10 and under 11.	11 and under 12.	12 and under 13.	13 and under 14.	14 and under 15.	15 and under 16.	16 and under 17.	17 and over.	Total Pupils.
Boys														
1948	15,944	20,349	18,902	18,478	18,189	17,769	17,639	16,982	15,970	14,629	5,808	2,024	899	183,582
1949	18,387	20,291	21,067	18,846	18,729	18,133	17,794	17,572	16,771	15,420	5,544	1,958	795	191,307
1950	18,822	23,219	21,048	20,913	19,029	18,714	18,173	17,704	17,678	15,974	5,688	1,905	821	199,688
1951	19,950	24,466	24,224	21,019	21,104	19,256	17,887	17,926	18,330	17,149	5,939	2,100	860	210,210
1952	23,968	25,099	24,972	23,905	21,046	21,188	19,279	18,734	18,089	16,891	6,595	2,221	901	222,888
1953	23,335	29,876	25,965	24,704	23,475	21,611	21,172	19,016	18,766	17,460	7,309	2,540	1,130	236,359
1954	23,470	27,908	30,508	25,064	24,812	24,060	21,372	21,038	18,989	18,137	7,283	2,686	1,171	246,498
1955	25,149	27,776	28,193	30,309	25,505	24,989	24,222	21,018	20,807	18,555	7,909	2,772	1,051	258,255
1956	25,702	28,508	27,770	28,390	30,649	25,654	25,224	23,700	20,874	20,486	8,339	3,287	1,184	269,767
1957	26,121	28,679	29,047	27,989	28,426	30,784	26,015	24,975	23,536	20,604	9,809	3,583	1,454	281,022
1958	27,237	29,081	28,982	28,950	28,289	28,533	31,066	25,739	24,730	23,333	10,552	4,313	1,672	292,477
Girls														
1948	14,902	19,179	18,082	17,455	17,184	16,840	16,755	15,896	14,866	13,459	4,163	1,296	402	170,479
1949	17,371	18,926	19,688	18,325	17,739	17,169	16,853	16,589	15,591	14,054	4,123	1,308	367	178,103
1950	17,985	21,500	19,762	19,580	18,456	17,667	17,196	16,591	16,502	14,439	4,239	1,315	383	185,615
1951	18,753	23,255	22,375	19,411	20,088	18,491	17,778	17,098	16,450	15,479	4,650	1,423	445	195,696
1952	22,974	23,337	23,664	22,222	19,740	19,781	18,541	17,578	16,734	15,641	5,301	1,626	486	207,625
1953	21,784	28,270	23,910	23,432	22,457	19,679	19,559	18,213	17,309	16,106	5,720	1,954	569	218,962
1954	22,029	25,988	28,657	23,579	23,361	22,314	19,713	19,467	18,008	16,604	5,783	1,983	616	228,102
1955	23,546	25,942	26,370	28,393	23,597	23,509	22,480	19,750	19,003	17,042	6,069	2,015	579	238,295
1956	24,269	26,869	26,357	26,071	28,627	23,616	23,496	21,861	19,235	18,598	6,751	2,237	620	248,607
1957	25,095	26,920	27,383	26,281	26,298	28,719	23,668	23,134	21,871	18,678	7,552	2,637	723	258,959
1958	25,668	27,578	27,333	27,047	26,317	26,425	28,968	23,546	22,976	21,105	8,200	2,956	840	268,959
All Pupils														
1948	30,846	39,528	36,984	35,933	35,373	34,609	34,394	32,878	30,836	28,088	9,971	3,320	1,301	354,061
1949	35,758	39,217	40,755	37,171	36,468	35,302	34,647	34,161	32,362	29,474	9,667	3,266	1,162	369,410
1950	36,807	44,719	40,810	40,493	37,485	36,381	35,369	34,295	34,180	30,413	9,927	3,220	1,204	385,303
1951	38,703	47,721	46,599	40,430	41,192	37,747	35,665	35,024	34,780	32,628	10,589	3,523	1,305	405,906
1952	46,942	48,436	48,636	46,127	40,786	40,969	37,820	36,312	34,823	32,532	11,896	3,847	1,387	430,513
1953	45,119	58,146	49,875	48,136	45,932	41,290	40,731	37,229	36,075	33,566	13,029	4,494	1,699	455,321
1954	45,499	53,896	59,165	48,643	48,173	46,374	41,085	40,505	36,997	34,741	13,066	4,669	1,787	474,600
1955	48,695	53,718	54,563	58,702	49,102	48,498	46,702	40,768	39,810	35,597	13,978	4,787	1,630	496,550
1956	49,971	55,377	54,127	54,461	59,276	49,270	48,720	45,561	40,109	39,084	15,090	5,524	1,804	518,374
1957	51,216	55,599	56,430	54,270	54,724	59,503	49,683	48,109	45,407	39,282	17,361	6,220	2,177	539,981
1958	52,905	56,659	56,315	55,997	54,606	54,958	60,034	49,285	47,706	44,438	18,752	7,269	2,512	561,436

* See note *, Table 6.

† Pupils under 5 years of age were as follows :—

	Boys	Girls	Pupils
1954	986	835	1,821
1955	1,001	1,013	2.014
1956	1,190	1,102	2.292
1957	1,208	1,105	2,313
1958	1,179	1,115	2,294

No. 22. Public Schools: Primary Pupils According to Classes, August, 1953 to 1958

Effective Enrolment *
Excludes Subsidised Schools

First Week in August	Kinder-garten	1st Class	2nd Class	3rd Class	4th Class	5th Class	6th Class	Hospital Schools	Oppor-tunity Classes	Total
					Boys					
1953	25,635	36,817	27,711	25,857	24,081	22,244	20,457	...	1,515	184,317
1954	25,769	36,045	31,007	27,092	25,518	23,745	21,725	...	1,502	192,403
1955	27,641	35,478	31,241	30,005	26,896	25,123	23,218	...	1,521	201,123
1956	28,706	35,920	30,565	30,418	29,667	26,506	24,783	...	1,731	208,296
1957	29,705	36,271	30,737	29,564	30,518	29,288	26,770	984	1,563	215,400
1958	31,221	36,114	31,710	30,127	29,689	30,236	29,442	1,028	1,562	221,129
					Girls					
1953	23,548	33,489	25,204	24,374	22,893	20,742	19,506	...	1,147	170,903
1954	23,855	32,386	29,063	24,897	24,141	22,490	20,375	...	1,117	178,324
1955	25,691	32,034	28,388	28,359	24,666	23,955	22,170	...	1,130	186,393
1956	26,529	32,825	28,173	28,081	27,978	24,426	23,700	...	1,155	192,867
1957	28,014	32,881	28,817	27,588	28,139	27,668	24,612	480	1,093	199,292
1958	28,950	33,173	29,138	28,554	27,606	28,184	27,635	450	1,103	204,793
					All Pupils					
1953.	49,183	70,306	52,915	50,231	46,974	42,986	39,963	...	2,662	355,220
1954	49,624	68,431	60,070	51,989	49,659	46,235	42,100	...	2,619	370,727
1955	53,332	67,512	59,629	58,364	51,562	49,078	45,388	...	2,651	387,516
1956	55,235	68,745	58,738	58,499	57,645	50,932	48,483	...	2,886	401,163
1957	57,719	69,152	59,554	57,152	58,657	56,956	51,382	1,464	2,656	414,692
1958	60,171	69,287	60,848	58,681	57,295	58,420	57,077	1,478	2,665	425,922

* See note *, Table 6.

No. 23. Public Schools: Secondary Pupils According to Classes, August, 1953 to 1958

Effective Enrolment*
Excludes Evening Colleges

First Week in August	1st year	2nd year	3rd year	4th year	5th year	Opportunity Classes	Total
				Boys			
1953	18,121	14,344	9,467	3,094	1,884	5,132	52,042
1954	18,608	15,219	9,799	3,082	2,156	5,231	54,095
1955	19,178	16,111	10,425	3,439	2,131	5,848	57,132
1956	20,113	17,019	11,670	3,794	2,517	6,358	61,471
1957	20,624	17,803	12,911	4,373	2,910	7,001	65,622
1958	22,128	18,995	14,409	4,854	3,316	7,646	71,348
				Girls			
1953	17,435	14,111	9,124	2,126	1,429	3,834	48,059
1954	17,647	14,813	9,469	2,120	1,639	4,090	49,778
1955	18,044	15,379	10,162	2,277	1,629	4,411	51,902
1956	19,513	16,048	11,229	2,579	1,827	4,544	55,740
1957	20,079	17,575	12,141	2,970	2,068	4,834	59,667
1958	21,161	18,429	13,886	3,286	2,341	5,063	64,166
				All Pupils			
1953	35,556	28,455	18,591	5,220	3,313	8,966	100,101
1954	36,255	30,032	19,268	5,202	3,795	9,321	103,873
1955	37,222	31,490	20,587	5,716	3,760	10,259	109,034
1956	39,626	33,067	22,899	6,373	4,344	10,902	117,211
1957	40,703	35,378	25,052	7,343	4,978	11,835	125,289
1958	43,289	37,424	28,295	8,140	5,657	12,709	135,514

* See note *, Table 6.

No. 24. Public Schools: Religions of Pupils*, 1953 to 1958

Excludes Evening Colleges

Year	Church of England	Roman Catholic	Presbyterian	Methodist	Other	Total
1953	278,855	48,096	58,179	58,287	35,129	478,546
1954	292,367	51,173	61,221	60,158	37,004	501,923
1955	305,018	54,903	64,121	61,821	39,435	525,298
1956	309,002	52,554	65,030	62,802	39,365	528,753
1957	311,630	55,656	66,813	63,963	41,719	539,781
1958	324,037	57,872	69,473	66,510	43,380	561,272

* Individual pupils enrolled; see note ‡, Table 15.

No. 25. Public Schools: Lessons in Special Religious Instruction*, 1953 to 1958

Year	Church of England	Roman Catholic	Presbyterian	Methodist.	Other Denominations.	Total.
1953	101,563	33,554	39,114	41,578	36,677	252,486
1954	100,883	33,498	39,207	43,151	36,494	253,233
1955	102,778	35,423	39,498	44,405	37,800	259,904
1956	114,314	42,583	41,400	47,325	42,342	287,964
1957	129,224	51,224	46,991	55,606	49,141	332,186
1958	137,889	55,231	48,950	55,613	51,128	348,811

* Under the Public Instruction Act of 1880, it is provided that the teaching in public schools must be strictly non-sectarian. Secular instruction imparted by teachers is defined as including "general religious teaching as distinguished from dogmatical or polemical theology". Religious instruction may be given by authorised teachers of any religious persuasion to children of their religion for a maximum period of an hour each school day, children of different persuasion to be instructed on different days.

No. 26. Public Schools: Pupils Enrolled in Opportunity Classes*, August, 1957 and 1958

Effective Enrolment†

Opportunity Class.*	August, 1957.			August, 1958.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
Primary—						
Opportunity A	623	302	925	651	349	1,000
" B	68	51	119	11	11	22
" C5	299	261	560	301	252	553
" C6	283	251	534	304	255	559
" D	157	117	274	153	118	271
" F	133	111	244	142	118	260
Total, Primary	1,563	1,093	2,656	1,562	1,103	2,665
Secondary—						
Opportunity D	...	18	18	...	...	...
" 7th	4,400	2,865	7,265	4,613	3,026	7,639
" 8th	2,488	1,852	4,340	2,972	1,967	4,939
" 9th	113	99	212	61	70	131
Total, Secondary	7,001	4,834	11,835	7,646	5,063	12,709
Total, Primary and Secondary ...	8,564	5,927	14,491	9,208	6,166	15,374

* These are as follows: A—for mentally backward pupils; B—for pupils of average ability but needing remedial teaching; C5 and C6—for pupils of above average ability; D—for pupils with defective hearing; F—for pupils with serious mental defects; 7th, 8th and 9th—for pupils of secondary school age for whom a "general activities" course is considered more suitable than academic subjects.
† See note *, Table 6.

No. 27. Public Schools: Ages of Pupils Enrolled in Opportunity Classes*, August, 1958

Effective Enrolment†

Age.	Primary Pupils in Opportunity Classes.							Secondary Pupils in Opportunity Classes.				All Pupils in Opportunity Classes.
	A.	B.	C5.	C6.	D.	F.	Total.	7th.	8th.	9th.	Total.	
Years.												
Under 7	...	...	...	...	65	...	65	...	...	...	...	65
7 and under 8	1	14	...	...	32	4	51	...	...	...	...	51
8 " " 9	10	8	...	...	23	6	47	...	...	...	...	47
9 " " 10	92	...	...	...	26	26	144	...	...	...	...	144
10 " " 11	173	...	462	1	22	27	685	...	...	...	...	685
11 " " 12	273	...	91	488	21	33	906	3	...	...	3	909
12 " " 13	235	...	...	70	16	57	378	277	5	...	282	660
13 " " 14	143	...	...	...	16	39	198	5,019	272	...	5,291	5,489
14 " " 15	59	...	...	...	20	27	106	2,223	4,081	56	6,360	6,466
15 " " 16	14	...	...	...	22	31	67	109	548	65	722	789
16 and over	...	...	...	...	8	10	18	8	33	10	51	69
Total	1,000	22	553	559	271	260	2,665	7,639	4,939	131	12,709	15,374

* See note *, Table 26.
† See note *, Table 6.

No. 28. Subsidised Public Schools, 1953 to 1958

Year.	Number of Schools at 30th June.	Teachers at 30th June			Pupils.						Ratio of Attendance to Enrolment.
					Average Weekly Enrolment.*			Average Weekly Attendance.			
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	
											Per cent.
1953	44	5	39	44	219	192	411	197	166	363	88·3
1954	43	5	38	43	183	180	363	164	162	326	89·8
1955	34	4	30	34	138	159	297	124	141	265	89·2
1956	34	4	30	34	141	164	305	121	141	262	85·9
1957	37	4	33	37	179	163	342	163	147	310	90·6
1958	36	4	32	36	173	151	324	156	138	294	90·7

* See note ‡, Table 4.
Subsidised Schools. Subsidies are granted in the case of children resident in country districts so far removed from any public school that attendance is impracticable. Where a private teacher, approved by the Minister, is engaged by one or more families, subsidy is paid to the teacher at a rate based on average monthly attendance; in 1958 the rates ranged from 8s. 3d. to £1 4s. 3d. per day in the eastern section of the State, and from 10s. 6d. to £1 7s. 6d. in the western section.

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No. 29. Private Schools: Pupils and Teachers, 1948 to 1958

NOTE. Any private school attended by children of statutory school age must be certified by the Minister for Education as efficient (taking into account the standard of instruction, qualifications of the teachers, suitability of school premises and general conduct of the school). Private secondary schools must be registered for the education of pupils holding State bursaries under the Bursary Endowment Act. Certified schools at private charitable institutions are included in statistics of private schools; business schools, ecclesiastical seminaries, and uncertified nursery and kindergarten schools are not included.

Year.	Number of Schools.	Average Weekly Enrolment.*			Average Daily Attendance during the Year.†			Teachers (Full-time, excluding visiting teachers).		
		Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Males.	Females	Persons.
UNDENOMINATIONAL										
1948	70	2,494	3,425	5,920	2,197	2,975	5,172	65	270	335
1949	67	2,596	3,571	6,167	2,328	3,193	5,521	74	262	336
1950	65	2,541	3,575	6,116	2,251	3,172	5,423	74	268	342
1951	59	2,578	3,701	6,279	2,291	3,295	5,586	77	263	340
1952	54	2,500	3,612	6,112	2,244	3,265	5,509	72	257	329
1953	56	2,407	3,609	6,016	2,199	3,360	5,559	73	263	336
1954	52	2,278	3,490	5,768	2,062	3,175	5,237	73	254	327
1955	51	2,379	3,493	5,872	2,174	3,205	5,379	75	260	335
1956	47	2,300	3,445	5,745	2,218	3,297	5,515	62	248	310
1957	41	2,140	3,449	5,589	1,953	3,126	5,079	67	239	306
1958	36	2,159	3,251	5,410	2,020	3,025	5,045	74	216	290
ROMAN CATHOLIC										
1948	579	46,276	47,431	93,707	41,095	41,714	82,809	607	2,561	3,168
1949	580	47,979	49,404	97,383	43,156	43,974	87,130	610	2,569	3,179
1950	593	50,340	52,121	102,461	44,572	45,615	90,187	642	2,629	3,271
1951	601	53,283	54,741	108,024	47,766	48,287	96,053	652	2,665	3,317
1952	618	57,427	58,313	115,740	51,818	51,791	103,609	677	2,710	3,387
1953	625	60,665	61,636	122,301	56,195	57,155	113,350	697	2,804	3,501
1954	636	63,723	64,836	128,559	57,666	58,109	115,775	727	2,835	3,562
1955	648	67,141	67,880	135,021	60,999	61,234	122,233	756	2,866	3,622
1956	662	70,930	71,811	142,741	65,768	67,017	132,785	804	2,903	3,707
1957	668	72,880	74,822	147,702	69,118	70,612	139,730	839	3,005	3,844
1958	668	76,984	77,948	154,932	73,178	73,859	147,037	846	3,053	3,899
CHURCH OF ENGLAND										
1948	43	4,439	4,110	8,549	4,125	3,744	7,869	191	286	477
1949	41	4,566	4,313	8,879	4,317	3,979	8,296	188	306	494
1950	42	4,785	4,515	9,300	4,458	4,107	8,565	195	308	503
1951	45	4,972	4,653	9,625	4,648	4,263	8,911	200	322	522
1952	43	4,723	4,721	9,444	4,445	4,348	8,793	205	333	538
1953	41	4,739	4,987	9,726	4,384	4,536	8,920	210	337	547
1954	41	4,768	5,103	9,871	4,477	4,819	9,296	213	336	549
1955	42	5,156	6,108	11,264	4,896	5,679	10,575	219	345	564
1956	41	4,989	5,534	10,523	4,742	5,153	9,895	236	380	616
1957	41	5,203	5,954	11,157	4,795	5,596	10,391	243	406	649
1958	41	5,573	6,297	11,870	5,324	5,981	11,305	243	428	671
OTHER DENOMINATIONAL										
1948	28	2,743	3,147	5,890	2,518	2,889	5,407	119	195	314
1949	28	2,795	3,336	6,131	2,612	3,113	5,725	119	215	334
1950	29	2,953	3,540	6,493	2,756	3,245	6,001	132	221	353
1951	35	3,169	3,693	6,862	2,937	3,392	6,329	139	224	363
1952	35	3,246	3,764	7,010	3,016	3,523	6,539	143	226	369
1953	38	3,378	3,959	7,337	3,188	3,729	6,917	155	227	382
1954	39	3,549	4,135	7,684	3,355	3,810	7,165	164	224	388
1955	39	3,674	4,198	7,872	3,438	3,923	7,361	176	239	415
1956	39	3,804	4,222	8,026	3,606	3,931	7,537	181	240	421
1957	38	4,026	4,246	8,272	3,795	4,001	7,796	186	250	436
1958	38	4,404	4,391	8,795	4,185	4,153	8,338	199	261	460
TOTAL PRIVATE SCHOOLS										
1948	720	55,952	58,114	114,066	49,935	51,322	101,257	982	3,312	4,294
1949	716	57,936	60,624	118,560	52,413	54,259	106,672	991	3,352	4,343
1950	729	60,619	63,751	124,370	54,037	56,139	110,176	1,043	3,426	4,469
1951	740	64,002	66,788	130,790	57,642	59,237	116,879	1,068	3,474	4,542
1952	750	67,896	70,410	138,306	61,523	62,927	124,450	1,097	3,526	4,623
1953	760	71,189	74,191	145,380	65,966	68,780	134,746	1,135	3,631	4,766
1954	768	74,318	77,564	151,882	67,560	69,913	137,473	1,177	3,649	4,826
1955	780	78,350	81,679	160,029	71,507	74,041	145,548	1,226	3,710	4,936
1956	789	82,023	85,012	167,035	76,334	79,398	155,732	1,283	3,771	5,054
1957	788	84,249	88,471	172,720	79,661	83,335	162,996	1,335	3,900	5,235
1958	783	89,120	91,887	181,007	84,707	87,018	171,725	1,362	3,958	5,320

* See note ‡, Table 4.
† See note †, Table 15.

No. 30. Private Schools: Pupils according to Denomination of School, 1948 to 1958

Average Weekly Enrolment*

Year.	Undenominational.	Roman Catholic.	Church of England.	Presbyterian.	Methodist.	Seventh Day Adventist.	Lutheran.	Other Denominations. †	Total.
1948	5,920	93,707	8,549	3,363	1,855	438	43	191	114,066
1949	6,167	97,383	8,879	3,531	1,949	449	47	155	118,560
1950	6,116	102,461	9,300	3,770	2,109	489	51	74	124,370
1951	6,279	108,024	9,625	3,888	2,255	569	65	85	130,790
1952	6,112	115,740	9,444	3,916	2,319	565	125	85	138,306
1953	6,016	122,301	9,726	4,064	2,330	715	125	103	145,380
1954	5,768	128,559	9,871	4,202	2,384	776	156	166	151,882
1955	5,872	135,021	11,264	4,243	2,452	811	170	196	160,029
1956	5,745	142,741	10,523	4,378	2,494	810	175	169	167,035
1957	5,589	147,702	11,157	4,557	2,593	825	168	129	172,720
1958	5,410	154,932	11,870	4,888	2,640	895	221	151	181,007

* See note ‡, Table 4.
† Hebrew only for 1950 and later years.

No. 31. Private Schools: Ages and Sex of Pupils, August, 1948 to 1958

Effective Enrolment*

First Week in August.	Ages of Pupils—Years											
	Under 6.	6 and under 7.	7 and under 8.	8 and under 9.	9 and under 10.	10 and under 11.	11 and under 12.	12 and under 13.	13 and under 14.	14 and under 15.	15 and over.	Total Pupils.
Boys												
1953	7,807	7,518	6,946	6,672	6,574	6,222	6,048	6,069	5,881	5,554	6,781	72,072
1954	7,670	7,289	8,119	7,141	6,626	6,688	6,322	6,571	6,156	5,451	6,699	74,732
1955	8,431	7,220	7,963	8,120	7,433	7,155	6,974	6,474	6,473	5,681	7,275	79,199
1956	8,261	7,992	7,881	7,876	8,485	7,742	7,223	7,449	6,530	6,110	7,528	83,077
1957	8,260	8,116	8,234	7,752	8,015	8,657	7,698	7,593	7,482	6,164	8,294	86,265
1958	8,787	8,305	8,459	8,370	7,919	8,251	8,920	8,057	7,646	6,792	8,477	89,983
Girls												
1953	8,300	7,775	7,313	7,145	7,027	6,537	6,416	6,641	6,223	6,070	5,679	75,126
1954	7,925	7,613	8,358	7,462	7,212	7,306	6,572	6,776	6,654	6,153	6,083	78,114
1955	8,759	7,740	8,238	8,395	7,597	7,436	7,378	7,050	7,080	6,451	5,939	82,063
1956	8,414	8,327	8,156	8,395	8,864	7,729	7,516	7,761	7,281	6,829	6,455	85,727
1957	8,428	8,231	8,514	8,324	8,536	8,801	7,941	8,016	7,943	7,044	6,978	88,756
1958	9,086	8,368	8,466	8,713	8,359	8,696	9,031	8,407	8,338	7,637	7,199	92,300
All Pupils												
1948	12,854	10,660	10,628	9,835	10,067	10,323	10,474	10,530	10,143	9,114	10,743	115,371
1949	14,017	10,741	11,254	10,739	10,300	10,666	10,674	11,065	10,841	9,336	10,487	120,120
1950	14,743	11,919	11,447	11,201	11,193	11,035	11,121	11,237	11,497	10,172	10,818	126,383
1951	14,634	12,432	12,961	11,851	12,107	11,999	11,320	11,807	11,692	10,930	11,286	133,019
1952	16,629	13,290	13,789	13,518	12,161	12,562	12,137	11,929	12,126	10,950	11,877	140,968
1953	16,107	15,293	14,259	13,817	13,601	12,759	12,464	12,710	12,104	11,624	12,460	147,198
1954	15,595	14,902	16,477	14,603	13,838	13,994	12,894	13,347	12,810	11,604	12,782	152,846
1955	17,190	14,960	16,201	16,515	15,030	14,591	14,352	13,524	13,553	12,132	13,214	161,262
1956	16,675	16,319	16,037	16,271	17,349	15,471	14,739	15,210	13,811	12,939	13,983	168,804
1957	16,688	16,347	16,748	16,076	16,551	17,458	15,639	15,609	15,425	13,208	15,272	175,021
1958	17,873	16,673	16,925	17,083	16,278	16,947	17,951	16,464	15,984	14,429	15,676	182,283

* See note *, Table 6.

No. 32. Private Schools: Pupils, August, 1958

Effective Enrolment*

Classification	Number of Schools.	Boarders.		Day Pupils.		Total Pupils.			Secondary Pupils. (Above 6th Class).		
		Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
Undenominational ...	36	278	611	1,942	2,648	2,220	3,259	5,479	913	1,292	2,205
Denominational—											
Roman Catholic ...	668	4,655	4,033	72,979	74,076	77,634	78,109	155,743	18,865	19,041	37,906
Church of England ...	41	1,972	1,407	3,834	5,052	5,806	6,459	12,265	3,530	3,473	7,003
Presbyterian	13	985	739	1,674	1,549	2,659	2,288	4,947	1,784	1,463	3,247
Methodist	6	303	366	751	1,244	1,054	1,610	2,664	710	943	1,653
Lutheran	3	42	42	69	47	111	89	200	63	52	115
Seventh Day Adventist	15	62	59	348	370	410	429	839	169	193	362
Hebrew	1	...	...	89	57	89	57	146	...	...	...
Total	783	8,297	7,257	81,686	85,043	89,983	92,300	182,283	26,034	26,457	52,491

See note, * Table 6.

No. 33. Private Schools: Age and Sex of Pupils, August, 1958

Effective Enrolment *

Classification.	Under 6 years.			6 years and under 15.			15 years and over.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
Undenominational ...	455	519	974	1,328	2,210	3,538	437	530	967
Denominational—									
Roman Catholic ...	7,918	8,018	15,936	64,310	65,651	129,961	5,406	4,440	9,846
Church of England ...	345	404	749	3,972	4,861	8,833	1,489	1,194	2,683
Presbyterian	48	75	123	1,821	1,626	3,447	790	587	1,377
Methodist	...	51	51	761	1,176	1,937	293	383	676
Lutheran	2	1	3	97	72	169	12	16	28
Seventh Day Adventist	10	12	22	350	368	718	50	49	99
Hebrew	9	6	15	80	51	131	...	...	...
Total	8,787	9,086	17,873	72,719	76,015	148,734	8,477	7,199	15,676

* See note *, Table 6.

No. 34. Private Schools: Teachers, August, 1958

Classification.	General Tuition (Full-time Staff).		Extra Subjects (Visiting).		Total.*		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Teachers.
Undenominational	74	216	20	77	94	293	387
Denominational—							
Roman Catholic	846	3,053	149	842	995	3,895	4,890
Church of England	243	428	50	126	293	554	847
Presbyterian	115	140	29	40	144	180	324
Methodist	49	89	12	28	61	117	178
Lutheran	7	5	1	5	8	10	18
Seventh Day Adventist	25	21	1	6	26	27	53
Hebrew	3	6	...	...	3	6	9
Total	1,362	3,958	262	1,124	1,624	5,082	6,706

* In these totals, visiting teachers who attend more than one school may be included more than once.

No. 35. Schools for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Children, 1954 to 1958

(Included in all other Tables of Public and Private Schools)

First Week in August.	Teachers (Full-time).			Effective Enrolment.*											
				Under 6 years.			6 years and under 15 years.			15 years and over.			Total.		
	Men.	Women.	Persons.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
1954	34	34	68	17	33	50	248	190	438	40	12	52	305	235	540
1955	31	35	66	21	26	47	257	198	455	21	19	40	299	243	542
1956	27	43	70	14	29	43	190	148	338	93	78	171	297	255	552
1957	26	34	60	16	21	37	219	150	369	34	38	72	269	209	478
1958	22	41	63	28	25	53	212	147	359	17	35	52	257	207	464

* See note *, Table 6.

No. 36. Schools for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Children, 1958

(Included in all other Tables of Public and Private Schools)

School.	Teachers (Full-time).		Effective Enrolment in August, 1958.*								
			Under 6 years.		6 years and under 15 years.		15 years and over.		Total.		
	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Pupils.
Public Schools—											
N.S.W. Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, Darlington	8	16	13	11	60	44	6	13	79	68	147
Farrar School for Deaf Children...	...	4	4	1	9	3	3	5	16	9	25
Special Blind School, Wahroonga	5	5	...	...	60	28	4	4	64	32	96
Private Schools (Roman Catholic)—											
St. Lucy's for the Blind, Homebush	...	7	3	1	1	29	...	...	4	30	34
St. Edmund's School for Blind Boys, Wahroonga	3	...	...	...	27	...	1	...	28	...	28
St. Gabriel's School for Deaf Boys, Castle Hill	6	1	8	...	55	...	3	...	66	...	66
School for Deaf Girls, Waratah ...	...	8	...	12	...	43	...	13	...	68	68
Total, All Schools	22	41	28	25	212	147	17	35	257	207	464

* See note *, Table 6.

No. 37. Truant School for Boys, 1948-49 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Admissions during Year—Ages.*					Discharges during Year—Periods of Detention.*						Inmates at end of Year.
	Under 12 years.	12 years.	13 years.	14 years.	Total	Under 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 years and over.	Total.	
1949	17	8	25	37	87	19	29	21	1	...	70	76
1950	14	10	28	13	65	19	26	23	2	...	70	71
1951	11	6	18	19	54	6	24	26	3	3	62	59
1952	12	8	14	13	47	4	7	24	1	1	37	59
1953	15	6	14	13	48	7	7	30	7	...	51	51
1954	16	6	21	20	63	3	9	26	2	...	40	74
1955	14	11	22	15	62	4	20	32	8	1	65	69
1956	8	12	23	28	71	8	22	27	8	...	65	75
1957	18	15	22	32	87	19	38	31	3	...	91	71
1958	20	5	16	28	69	10	26	28	...	...	64	73

* Excludes boys transferred to or from other Child Welfare institutions.

NOTE. There is no special truant school for girls.

No. 38. Kindergarten Union of N.S.W.: Children Enrolled in Free Kindergartens, 1951 to 1958

August.	Teachers.			Effective Enrolment.										
				Under 3 years.		3 to 4 years.		4 to 5 years.		5 years and over.		Total.		
	Full-time.	Other.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Children.
1951	95	51	146	65	73	401	353	517	536	81	54	1,064	1,016	2,080
1952	102	31	133	57	60	442	377	496	459	36	54	1,031	950	1,981
1953	90	45	135	57	63	421	375	511	427	35	23	1,024	888	1,912
1954	112	41	153	49	39	502	395	547	485	33	29	1,131	948	2,079
1955	111	51	162	32	18	482	412	600	486	50	45	1,164	961	2,125
1956	112	39	151	17	7	457	460	567	501	42	17	1,083	985	2,068
1957	98	34	132	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,010	952	1,962
1958	90	28	118	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,100	981	2,081

* Not available.

No. 39. Sydney Day Nursery and Nursery Schools Association: Children Enrolled at Nursery Schools, 1951 to 1958

August.	Teachers.			Effective Enrolment.										
				Under 3 years.		3 to 4 years.		4 to 5 years.		5 years and over.		Total.		
	Full-time.	Other.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Children.
1951	55	40	95	162	119	180	158	256	202	28	15	626	494	1,120
1952	61	34	95	142	133	200	184	273	204	19	25	634	546	1,180
1953	50	26	76	153	121	212	197	230	209	20	9	615	536	1,151
1954	60	21	81	120	141	238	185	240	226	13	15	611	567	1,178
1955	73	23	96	160	127	222	215	280	247	26	12	688	601	1,289
1956	58	27	85	146	115	220	180	250	251	18	13	634	559	1,193
1957	57	30	87	125	115	217	176	259	216	9	12	610	519	1,129
1958	58	26	84	177	143	207	171	261	204	9	9	654	527	1,181

No. 40. School Savings Banks in Public and Private Schools, N.S.W.*, 1948 to 1959

At 30th June.	Number of School Banks.	Number of Depositors.	Balance to Credit of Accounts†	At 30th June.	Number of School Banks.	Number of Depositors.	Balance to Credit of Accounts†
			£				£
1948	2,598	167,220	725,290	1954	2,499	187,530	1,170,627
1949	2,592	170,278	772,243	1955	2,497	191,629	1,210,114
1950	2,567	172,282	813,919	1956	2,646	207,703	1,259,982
1951	2,525	166,470	884,313	1957	2,737	223,964	1,339,733
1952	2,521	173,417	990,486	1058	2,916	266,989	1,500,541
1953	2,481	183,021	1,098,830	1959	3,019	301,812	1,692,803

* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Lodged with Commonwealth Savings Bank.

No. 41. State Teachers' Colleges: Students Enrolled, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Two-year Courses.			University and Special Courses.			Private Students.			All Students.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1948	603	739	1,342	604	304	908	140	61	201	1,347	1,104	2,451
1949	602	861	1,463	645	337	982	171	82	253	1,418	1,280	2,698
1950	697	989	1,686	594	290	884	140	67	207	1,431	1,346	2,777
1951	775	1,057	1,832	519	272	791	115	54	169	1,409	1,383	2,792
1952	727	1,047	1,774	439	255	694	109	78	187	1,275	1,380	2,655
1953	796	1,199	1,995	421	262	683	110	65	175	1,327	1,526	2,853
1954	813	1,263	2,076	452	347	799	139	82	221	1,404	1,692	3,096
1955	747	1,340	2,087	613	459	1,072	158	76	234	1,518	1,875	3,393
1956	767	1,506	2,273	755	571	1,326	159	102	261	1,681	2,179	3,860
1957	815	1,683	2,498	795	653	1,448	*	*	288	*	*	4,234
1958	872	1,635	2,507	825	738	1,563	*	*	180	*	*	4,250

* Not available.

No. 42. State Teachers' Colleges: Students Enrolled, 1958

Course and Year.	College.						Total, All Colleges.		
	Sydney.	Balmain.	Armidale.	Wagga Wagga.	Newcastle.	Bathurst.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Two-year Courses (Principally for Primary School Teachers)—									
First year	343	121	160	149	226	181	434	746	1,180
Second year	405	219	146	177	236	144	438	889	1,327
Total	748	340	306	326	462	325	872	1,635	2,507
Special Courses (Physical Education, Music, Art, Manual Arts, Agricultural Science, etc.)—									
First year	83	...	20	...	...	...	49	54	103
Second year	85	...	26	...	...	...	61	50	111
Third year	88	...	...	...	...	...	46	42	88
Fourth year	61	...	...	...	...	...	26	35	61
Total	317	...	46	...	...	...	182	181	363
University Courses (For Secondary School Teachers)—									
First Year	266	...	98	...	33	...	202	195	397
Second year	222	...	78	...	32	...	171	161	332
Third year	173	...	77	...	23	...	155	118	273
Fourth year	31	...	11	...	...	...	28	14	42
Graduate Professional Course (Diploma in Education) ...	104	...	30	...	22	...	87	69	156
Total	796	...	294	...	110	...	643	557	1,200
Private Students	128	43	1	...	7	1	*	*	180
Total Students	1,989	383	647	326	579	326	*	*	4,250

* Not available.

No. 43. Bursaries, 1953 to 1958

At 30th June	Number of Bursars.				Payment to Bursary Endowment Board from Consolidated Revenue Fund during Year.
	Attending Courses of Secondary Education.	Enrolled at Technical Colleges.	Enrolled at Universities.	Total	
					£
1953	1,776	8	127	1,911	75,000
1954	1,759	7	115	1,881	75,270
1955	1,825	7	119	1,951	71,740
1956	1,847	11	122	1,980	85,000
1957	1,826	7	121	1,954	90,000
1958	1,830	6	125	1,961	93,829

NOTE. The number of bursars in receipt of the various rates of allowance was as follows:—

At 30th June	£18	£33	£48	£52	£65	£75	£78	£84	£99	£104	Total.
1955	452	220	846	86	...	33	115	55	144	...	1,951
1956	461	218	846	88	...	38	112	63	154	...	1,980
1957	462	236	814	94	...	38	106	48	156	...	1,954
1958	490	238	830	...	90	...	76	60	142	35	1,961

No. 44. Universities in New South Wales: Staffs, 1953 to 1958

Particulars.	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957. University of Sydney.	1957. University of New England	1957. University of Technology.	1957. Total.	1958. University of Sydney.	1958. University of New England	1958. University of N.S.W.	1958. Total
Teaching and Research—												
Professors	62	69	79	86	55	12	20	87	56	13	21	90
Other—Full-time	685	747	775	897	436	99	443	978	548	118	507	1,173
Part-time	758	839	822	798	369	26	287	682	401	12	293	706
Total	1,505	1,655	1,676	1,781	860	137	750	1,747	1,005	143	821	1,969
Library	68	72	72	78	46	14	31	91	49	14	32	95
Laboratory	436	503	564	588	379	13	186	578	432	19	230	681
Administration	349	386	414	454	246	58	177	481	273	65	205	543
Maintenance	207	209	226	269	94	89	104	287	129	123	135	387
Total Staff	2,565	2,825	2,952	3,170	1,625	311	1,248	3,184	1,888	364	1,423	3,675

No. 45. Universities in N.S.W.: Individual Students Enrolled, 1948 to 1958

Year.	University of Sydney. *			University of New England.†			University of New South Wales. ‡			All Universities.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1948	8,321	2,083	10,404	167	89	256	...	...	...	8,488	2,172	10,660
1949	8,128	2,054	10,182	165	80	245	115	...	115	8,408	2,134	10,542
1950	7,427	1,956	9,383	161	82	243	248	3	251	7,836	2,041	9,877
1951	6,303	1,805	8,108	147	81	228	4,078	49	4,127	10,528	1,935	12,463
1952	5,626	1,754	7,380	128	83	211	4,097	73	4,170	9,851	1,910	11,761
1953	5,252	1,666	6,918	142	100	242	3,976	68	4,044	9,370	1,834	11,204
1954	5,194	1,789	6,983	136	103	239	4,069	90	4,159	9,399	1,982	11,381
1955	5,428	1,900	7,328	432	143	575	3,966	126	4,092	9,826	2,169	11,995
1956	5,811	2,074	7,885	690	262	952	4,752	154	4,906	11,253	2,490	13,743
1957	6,087	2,216	8,303	846	325	1,171	5,066	180	5,246	11,999	2,721	14,720
1958	6,598	2,398	8,996	1,126	441	1,567	5,757	257	6,014	13,481	3,096	16,577

* Excludes candidates for higher degrees not required to enrol under University by-laws. These numbered 670 (589 males and 81 females) in 1957 and 742 (646 males and 96 females) in 1958.

† New England University College until 1954

‡ University of Technology until 1958.

No. 46. Universities in N.S.W.: Students Enrolled in each Course, 1957 and 1958

Course.	1957. University of Sydney. *	1957. University of New England.	1957. University of Technology.	1957. Total. Males.	1957. Total. Females.	1957. Total. Total.	1958. University of Sydney. *	1958. University of New England.	1958. University of N.S.W.	1958. Total. Males.	1958. Total. Females.	1958. Total. Total.
Higher Degrees	191	51	248	446	44	490	261	55	297	560	53	613
Bachelor Degrees—												
Arts	2,194	852	187	1,906	1,327	3,233	2,327	1,162	224	2,130	1,583	3,713
Law	595	...	...	550	45	595	648	...	...	597	51	648
Economics	487	...	...	461	26	487	513	...	...	489	24	513
Commerce	...	...	384	375	9	384	...	...	578	557	21	578
Science	684	85	362	862	269	1,131	795	125	528	1,123	325	1,448
Medicine	1,663	...	...	1,383	280	1,663	1,821	...	...	1,519	302	1,821
Engineering	532	...	621	1,152	1	1,153	584	...	693	1,276	1	1,277
Agriculture	220	41	...	227	34	261	229	71	...	260	40	300
Agricultural Economics ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	11	1	12
Veterinary Science	174	...	...	155	19	174	193	...	...	178	15	193
Dental Science	237	...	...	208	29	237	226	...	...	204	22	226
Architecture	139	...	109	220	28	248	145	...	127	245	27	272
Divinity	1	...	...	1	...	1	4	...	...	4	...	4
Diploma (Post-graduate)—												
Agriculture	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1
Anthropology	2	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Education	91	115	...	101	105	206	139	98	...	129	108	237
Social Work	6	...	...	2	4	6	5	...	...	1	4	5
Diploma (Sub-graduate)—												
Pharmacy	788	...	...	533	255	788	782	...	...	528	254	782
Physiotherapy	71	...	...	...	71	71	69	...	...	...	69	69
Social Studies	59	...	...	19	40	59	56	...	...	20	36	56
Medical Social Work	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	7	7
Town and Country Planning...	42	...	...	39	3	42	44	...	...	42	2	44
Science	...	...	1,177	1,135	42	1,177	...	...	1,291	1,231	60	1,291
Accountancy	...	...	123	117	6	123	...	...	103	98	5	103
Architecture	...	...	304	299	5	304	...	...	296	289	7	296
Engineering	...	...	1,413	1,413	...	1,413	...	...	1,528	1,528	...	1,528
Speech Therapy	15	...	...	...	15	15	10	...	...	...	10	10
Certificates—												
Engineering (Surveying) ...	...	...	105	105	...	105	...	...	133	133	...	133
Hospital Administration ...	...	...	7	6	1	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous (Odd Subjects) ...	155	32	219	328	78	406	187	51	239	394	83	477
Total Enrolments	8,346	1,176	5,259	12,045	2,736	14,781	9,046	1,574	6,037	13,547	3,110	16,657
Individual Students	8,303	1,171	5,246	11,999	2,721	14,720	8,996	1,567	6,014	13,481	3,096	16,577

* See note *, Table 45.

NOTE. Post-graduate students in Medicine are excluded from University enrolments.

No. 47. Universities in N.S.W.: New Students Enrolled, 1948 to 1958

Year.	University of Sydney.			University of New England.*			University of N.S.W. †			All Universities.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total
1948	2,759	933	3,692	62	27	89	...	...	...	2,821	960	3,781
1949	2,300	874	3,174	49	21	70	115	...	115	2,464	895	3,359
1950	1,764	645	2,409	44	21	65	152	3	155	1,960	669	2,629
1951	1,626	622	2,248	40	28	68	954	21	975	2,620	671	3,291
1952	1,649	677	2,326	52	34	86	923	46	969	2,624	757	3,381
1953	1,553	614	2,167	49	44	93	839	36	875	2,441	694	3,135
1954	1,252	637	1,889	37	34	71	957	57	1,014	2,246	728	2,974
1955	1,433	651	2,084	339	78	417	985	74	1,059	2,757	803	3,560
1956	1,610	823	2,433	457	155	612	1,651	88	1,739	3,718	1,066	4,784
1957	1,625	796	2,421	418	151	569	1,406	90	1,496	3,449	1,037	4,486
1958	1,796	830	2,626	565	211	776	1,632	140	1,772	3,993	1,181	5,174

* New England University College until 1954.
† University of Technology until 1958.

No. 48. Universities in N.S.W.: New Students in Courses, 1957 and 1958

Course.	1957.						1958.					
	University of Sydney.	University of New England	University of Technology.	Total.			University of Sydney.	University of New England.	University of N.S.W.	Total.		
				Males.	Females.	Total.				Males.	Females.	Total.
Higher Degrees	15	12	31	54	4	58	26	12	44	77	5	82
Bachelor Degrees—												
Arts	702	413	70	682	503	1,185	788	577	81	819	627	1,446
Law	119	...	...	112	7	119	160	...	...	149	11	160
Economics	135	...	...	122	13	135	155	...	...	149	6	155
Commerce	...	...	202	197	5	202	...	...	262	251	11	262
Science	259	44	99	290	112	402	282	60	202	400	144	544
Medicine	368	...	...	289	79	368	384	...	...	306	78	384
Engineering	169	...	157	326	...	326	192	...	178	370	...	370
Agriculture	68	28	...	80	16	96	69	39	...	94	14	108
Agricultural Economics ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	10	1	11
Veterinary Science	43	...	...	36	7	43	72	...	...	71	1	72
Dental Science	63	...	...	55	8	63	58	...	...	54	4	58
Architecture	46	...	38	72	12	84	31	...	44	69	6	75
Divinity	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1
Diploma (Post Graduate)—												
Agriculture	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1
Anthropology	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Education	10	48	...	26	32	58	19	43	...	31	31	62
Social Work	1	...	...	...	1	1		...	...	...	...	...
Diploma (Sub-graduate)—												
Pharmacy	256	...	...	171	85	256	210	...	...	131	79	210
Physiotherapy	57	...	...	...	57	57	57	...	...	...	57	57
Social Studies	13	...	...	5	8	13	20	...	...	9	11	20
Special Course for South-East Asians	8	...	...	7	1	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Town and Country Planning ...	12	...	...	12	...	12	12	...	...	12	...	12
Science	...	...	346	322	24	346	...	...	339	308	31	339
Accountancy	...	...	3	3	...	3	...	...	9	8	1	9
Architecture	...	...	67	67	...	67	...	...	42	40	2	42
Engineering	...	...	293	293	...	293	...	...	318	318	...	318
Speech Therapy	12	...	...	...	12	12	8	...	...	...	8	8
Certificates—												
Engineering (Surveying) ...	...	...	36	36	...	36	...	...	70	70	...	70
Hospital Administration ...	...	...	7	6	1	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous (Odd Subjects)	64	24	147	185	50	235	81	35	183	246	53	299
Total New Enrolments ...	2,421	569	1,496	3,449	1,037	4,486	2,626	777	1,772	3,994	1,181	5,175
Individual Students ...	2,421	569	1,496	3,449	1,037	4,486	2,626	776	1,772	3,993	1,181	5,174

No. 49. Universities in N.S.W.: Ages of New Students at 1st March, 1957 and 1958

Age.	1957.						1958.					
	University of Sydney.	University of New England*	University of Technology.	Total.*			University of Sydney.	University of New England.*	University of N.S.W.	Total.*		
				Males.	Females.	Total.				Males.	Females.	Total.
Years.												
Under 16	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	281	31	164	339	137	476	297	27	179	357	146	503
17	924	62	484	1,036	434	1,470	1,025	112	545	1,195	487	1,682
18	454	20	195	514	155	669	480	53	231	589	175	764
19	169	19	68	199	57	256	196	36	115	269	78	347
20	104	34	66	166	38	204	121	43	86	203	47	250
21	47	29	53	111	18	129	61	53	85	161	38	199
22	60	38	56	132	22	154	60	45	76	152	29	181
23	26	34	49	95	14	109	39	33	49	101	20	121
24	36	27	37	82	18	100	32	34	38	88	16	104
25	33	28	32	79	14	93	34	41	29	87	17	104
26	32	37	37	93	13	106	34	33	29	82	14	96
27	24	32	18	62	12	74	25	37	25	81	6	87
28	17	25	26	58	10	68	22	26	26	65	9	74
29	16	19	19	43	11	54	20	30	30	68	12	80
30	14	12	14	36	4	40	18	25	31	59	15	74
31 and over	183	122	178	403	80	483	162	148	198	436	72	508
Total	2,421	569	1,496	3,449	1,037	4,486	2,626	776	1,772	3,993	1,181	5,174

* Excludes external students, University of New England.

No. 50. Universities in New South Wales: Degrees Conferred, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Higher Degrees.	Bachelor Degrees, by Faculty.											
		Arts.	Divinity.	Law.	Economics.	Science.	Medicine.*		Engineering.	Agriculture.	Veterinary Science.	Dentistry.	Architecture.
							M.B.	B.S.					
1948	65	273	...	65	79	173	131	133	119	24	36	51	10
1949	62	442	1	104	64	221	2	8	147	39	76	68	17
1950	69	523	5	154	103	259	152	151	214	41	83	168	20
1951	58	393	4	176	108	260	229	228	198	45	18	190	55
1952	82	350	1	145	77	215	310	311	211	31	72	138	65
1953	87	356	1	75	67	161	306	304	160	29	37	104	41
1954	81	291	...	64	66	162	255	250	135	28	40	78	19
1955	88	284	2	62	50	166	198	200	131	25	40	69	27
1956	92	307	2	70	53	197	195	197	146	22	26	76	12
1957	128	303	...	68	65	223	148	151	157	25	31	45	25
1958	97	417	...	83	59	227	161	161	177	36	31	53	5

* The small number of medical degrees in 1949 was due to the fact that the medical course at the University of Sydney was extended in that year.

No. 51. Universities in New South Wales: Degrees Conferred and Diplomas Granted, 1957 and 1958

Degree or Diploma.	1957.						1958.					
	University of Sydney	University of New England.	University of Technology.	Total.			University of Sydney.	University of New England.	University of New South Wales	Total.		
				Males.	Females.	Total.				Males.	Females.	Total.
DEGREES												
Arts—												
M.A.	10	2	...	9	3	12	13	1	...	11	3	14
B.A.	263	40	...	150	153	303	349	68	...	235	182	417
Law—												
LL.B.	68	...	...	64	4	68	83	...	...	73	10	83
Economics—												
M.Ec.	1	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	2	...	2
B.Ec.	65	...	...	59	6	65	59	...	...	56	3	59
Education—												
M.Ed.	1	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	...	3	...	3
Science—												
D.Sc.	2	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ph.D.	17	...	10	25	2	27	12	2	9	21	2	23
M.Sc.	28	1	19	40	8	48	19	1	16	33	3	36
B.Sc.	102	7	86	168	27	195	96	10	102	168	40	208
B. App'd. Sc.	...	7	...	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
B.Sc. For.	6	...	...	6	...	6	14	...	...	14	...	14
B.Sc. (Med.)	15	...	...	10	5	15	5	...	...	5	...	5
Medicine—												
M.D.	2	...	...	2	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	1
M.B.	148	...	...	126	22	148	161	...	...	134	27	161
B.S.	151	...	...	129	22	151	161	...	...	134	27	161
Engineering—												
Ph.D.	5	...	2	7	...	7	...	...	2	2	...	2
M.E.	6	...	6	12	...	12	3	...	7	10	...	10
B.E.	87	...	70	157	...	157	94	...	83	177	...	177
Agriculture—												
D.Sc. Agr.	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ph.D.	3	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
M.Sc. Agr.	6	...	...	5	1	6	3	...	...	3	...	3
B.Sc. Agr.	25	...	...	19	6	25	30	...	...	27	3	30
B. Agr.	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	5	1	6
Veterinary Science—												
B.V.Sc.	31	...	...	29	2	31	31	...	...	29	2	31
Dentistry—												
M.D.S.	5	...	...	5	...	5	3	...	...	3	...	3
B.D.S.	45	...	...	44	1	45	53	...	...	48	5	53
Architecture—												
M. Arch.	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
B. Arch.	18	...	7	20	5	25	18	...	7	24	1	25
DIPLOMAS *												
Post-graduate—												
Education	95	41	...	72	64	136	85	85	...	77	93	170
Other (mainly Medicine) ...	37	...	...	28	9	37	19	...	...	19	...	19
Sub-graduate—												
Social Studies	29	...	...	6	23	29	25	...	...	3	22	25
Town and Country Planning	10	...	...	9	1	10	12	...	...	11	1	12

* Diploma Students who successfully complete courses at the University of Technology (or N.S.W.) are granted diplomas by Sydney Technical College.

No. 52. Universities in N.S.W.: Receipts and Expenditure, 1950 to 1958

Year.	Receipts.					Expenditure.					
	Government Grants.		Students' Fees.	Other.	Total.	Administration.	Teaching and Research Departments.	New Buildings and Maintenance of Premises.	Research and Special Purposes.	Other.	Total.
	State.	Commonwealth.									
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1950	466,113	151,189	343,192	283,158	1,243,652	99,606	938,256		145,917	121,779	1,305,558
1951	786,515	384,689	445,363	340,169	1,956,736	186,600	1,757,264		142,515	197,385	2,283,764
1952	1,695,820	468,263	582,504	282,891	3,029,478	252,674	1,787,676	649,809	165,933	219,755	3,075,847
1953	1,684,631	517,383	569,286	351,285	3,122,585	273,366	1,857,773	527,723	186,885	233,693	3,079,440
1954	2,919,107	624,954	584,239	543,223	4,671,523	315,144	2,191,941	697,290	246,535	296,673	3,747,583
1955	3,195,168	671,344	676,283	691,815	5,234,610	401,688	2,786,891	906,868	362,540	368,653	4,826,640
1956	3,207,974	750,308	758,770	912,014	5,629,066	440,280	2,839,980	1,265,286	557,377	473,161	5,576,084
1957	3,626,286	891,218	878,485	1,213,710	6,609,699	481,490	3,220,322	1,723,808	632,273	502,700	6,560,593
1958	4,540,609	2,017,903	979,056	1,406,673	8,944,241	586,637	3,848,755	2,125,594	1,028,831	667,122	8,256,939

No. 53. Universities in N.S.W.: Receipts and Expenditure, 1957 and 1958

Item	1957				1958			
	University of Sydney	University of New England	University of Technology	All Universities	University of Sydney	University of New England	University of New South Wales	All Universities
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
RECEIPTS								
General Purposes—								
Government Grants—								
State—								
Consolidated Revenue Fund ...	992,199	387,518	1,122,422	2,502,139	1,292,334	483,113	1,355,162	3,130,609
General Loan Account	...	...	667,147	667,147	...	...	650,000	650,000
Commonwealth	551,168	62,500	274,000	887,668	678,700	108,750	701,033	1,488,483
Interest, Rent, Dividends and Donations	64,736	818	...	65,554	74,954	1,210	...	76,164
Students' Fees	646,271	34,904	197,310	878,485	699,819	48,938	230,299	979,056
Other	52,581	61,098	41,403	155,082	53,723	81,552	71,078	206,353
Total Receipts for General Purposes	2,306,955	546,838	2,302,282	5,156,075	2,799,530	723,563	3,007,572	6,530,665
Special Purposes—								
Government Grants—								
State—								
Consolidated Revenue Fund ...	7,000	...	...	7,000	10,000	75,000	...	85,000
General Loan Account	250,000	200,000	...	450,000	450,000	225,000	...	675,000
Commonwealth	...	...	3,550	3,550	529,420	...	...	529,420
Interest, Rent, Dividends and Donations	758,327	56,582	77,232	892,141	736,372	26,081	214,401	976,854
Other	27,819	6,620	66,494	100,933	15,639	113,188	18,475	147,302
Total Receipts for Special Purposes	1,043,146	263,202	147,276	1,453,624	1,741,431	439,269	232,876	2,413,576
Total Receipts	3,350,101	810,040	2,449,558	6,609,699	4,540,961	1,162,832	3,240,448	8,944,241
EXPENDITURE								
General Purposes—								
Administration	264,897	70,452	146,141	481,490	293,115	98,714	194,808	586,637
Teaching and Research Departments	1,572,954	252,269	1,395,099	3,220,322	1,826,069	359,638	1,663,048	3,848,755
Libraries	68,065	28,134	70,014	166,213	81,243	37,953	73,753	192,949
Maintenance of Premises	221,412	43,351	120,336	385,099	302,314	54,596	205,647	562,557
New Buildings (Purchase and Construction)	869	...	489,229	490,098	895	...	425,680	426,575
Special Grants	9,337	49	...	9,386	3,104	1,204	...	4,308
Other	77,748	123,303	57,916	258,967	101,175	159,190	37,122	297,487
Total Expenditure for General Purposes	2,215,282	517,558	2,278,735	5,011,575	2,607,915	711,295	2,600,058	5,919,268
Special Purposes—								
Research and Special Purposes ...	465,941	21,805	144,527	632,273	712,786	33,606	282,439	1,028,831
Scholarships, Bursaries, etc.	17,575	318	...	17,893	21,032	452	17,469	38,953
Land, Buildings, etc.	592,784	255,827	...	848,611	730,963	405,499	...	1,136,462
Other	25,546	13,342	11,353	50,241	50,698	82,727	...	133,425
Total Expenditure for Special Purposes	1,101,846	291,292	155,880	1,549,018	1,515,479	522,284	299,908	2,337,671
Total Expenditure	3,317,128	808,850	2,434,615	6,560,593	4,123,394	1,233,579	2,899,966	8,256,939

No. 54. Universities in New South Wales: Assisted Students, 1957 and 1958

Particulars.	1957.				1958.			
	University of Sydney.	University of New England	University of Technology.	Total.	University of Sydney.	University of New England.	University of New South Wales	Total.
Government Assistance—								
Free Places*	1,400	657	456	2,513	1,480	836	668	2,984
Bursaries	97	...	6	103	64	...	3	67
Commonwealth Scholarship Scheme†	2,973	88	599	3,660	3,211	101	741	4,053
Commonwealth Reconstruction Scheme	12	...	4	16	18	...	1	19
Other	...	...	109	109	...	...	85	85
Total, Government Assistance	4,482	745	1,174	6,401	4,773	937	1,498	7,208
University Assistance	164	26	186	376	257	43	220	520
Other Assistance	103	14	1,248	1,365	127	11	1,312	1,450
Total, All Forms of Assistance	4,749	785	2,608	8,142	5,157	991	3,030	9,178
Individual Students Assisted ...	4,509	756	2,441	7,706	4,945	981	2,780	8,706

* Mainly State Government assistance—viz., public exhibitions, public service cadetships, and free places provided for teachers by the Department of Education.

† Figures compiled by each University on the basis of information given at time of enrolment. They are not comparable with those in the next table, which has been prepared by the Commonwealth Office of Education and shows the number of students in training

No. 55. Commonwealth Scholarship Scheme: University-type Students at 30th June, 1954 to 1958

Institution and Course.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957*	1958†
University of Sydney—					
Arts	666	673	622	581	599
Law	204	255	287	279	309
Economics	149	156	159	165	169
Science	264	272	287	301	354
Medicine (including Medical Science)	767	770	825	871	959
Engineering	290	309	290	292	292
Agriculture	61	72	86	82	79
Veterinary Science	60	48	48	33	42
Dentistry	156	159	131	115	117
Architecture	57	57	67	64	58
Education	36	43	55	47	27
Other (including Pharmacy)	252	323	360	304	268
Total, University of Sydney	2,962	3,137	3,217	3,134	3,273
University of New England—					
Arts	82	63	52	31	34
Medicine (including Medical Science)	1	...	...	...	...
Science	39	25	25	17	26
Agriculture	2	...	...	10	23
Education	7	15	16	26	11
Total, University of New England	131	103	93	84	94
University of New South Wales‡—					
Architecture	13	18	50	67	109
Arts	12	27	32	21	20
Commerce	...	...	38	44	87
Engineering	120	199	279	268	195
Science	56	73	137	167	312
Education	...	...	...	9	1
Optometry	...	...	7	11	15
Other	...	...	4	29	23
Total, University of New South Wales ‡	201	317	547	616	762
Other Institutions—					
Technical Colleges	102	110	21	27	35
Teachers' Colleges	109	62	9	1	...
Agricultural Colleges...	9	11	11	5	12
Australian Physiotherapy Association	110	82	103	99	93
Occupational Therapy Training Centre	33	32	30	31	23
Conservatorium of Music	12	11	14	15	18
Other	43	33	31	39	32
Total Scholarship Students	3,712	3,898	4,076	4,051	4,342

* At 31st October.

† At 30th September.

‡ University of Technology until 1958.

No. 56. Technical Education: Summary, 1943 to 1954

Year.	Students.‡			Teachers. *	Expenditure from Revenue. †	Year.	Students.‡			Teachers. *	Expenditure from Revenue. †
	Males.	Females.	Persons.				Males.	Females.	Persons.		
					£						£
1943	26,443	8,497	34,940	1,510	491,809	1949	48,547	16,355	64,902	2,765	1,565,835
1944	29,431	10,319	39,750	1,645	573,202	1950	49,381	19,704	69,085	2,358	1,788,828
1945	30,940	11,827	42,767	2,088	643,481	1951	43,925	20,127	64,052	1,882	1,954,125
1946	38,874	11,078	49,952	2,362	908,066	1952	45,784	21,111	66,895	2,016	2,254,099
1947	45,242	14,058	59,300	2,661	1,103,383	1953	47,032	21,446	68,478	2,030	2,336,764
1948	46,325	15,002	61,327	2,760	1,294,595	1954	46,571	21,761	68,332	2,101	2,750,077

* Full-time and part-time. † Year ended 30th June following. ‡ Excludes full-time reconstruction trainees.
NOTE. In 1954 there were 42 technical colleges and 108 other centres at which technical training was provided by the Department of Technical Education.

No. 57. Technical Education: Expenditure, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Expenditure.*					Receipts from Students' Fees. †
	From Revenue.			From Loan.	Total—from Revenue and Loan.	
	Salaries.	Other.	Total—from Revenue.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1949	980,176	314,419	1,294,595	354,652	1,649,247	186,915
1950	1,208,248	357,587	1,565,835	384,840	1,950,675	169,485
1951	1,318,497	470,331	1,788,828	409,061	2,197,889	151,304
1952	1,431,356	522,769	1,954,125	695,373	2,649,498	274,787
1953	1,717,055	537,044	2,254,099	534,761	2,788,860	300,384
1954	1,797,599	539,165	2,336,764	775,787	3,112,551	314,080
1955	2,122,137	627,940	2,750,077	810,163	3,560,240	335,507
1956	2,461,488	628,955	3,090,443	714,124	3,804,567	361,673
1957	2,576,295	673,756	3,250,051	749,247	3,999,298	391,714
1958	2,719,477	737,501	3,456,978	765,513	4,222,491	430,888
1959	2,913,448	797,161	3,710,609	1,040,287	4,750,896	467,355

* Excludes expenditure on full-time reconstruction training.
† Includes fees of part-time reconstruction trainees, but excludes additional contributions by the Commonwealth towards the cost of such training. An amount of £7,022 was paid into the Consolidated Revenue Fund in 1958–59.

No. 58. Technical Education: Teaching Staff, 1947 to 1958

Year.	Full-time.		Part-time.		Total Teaching Staff.	Year.	Full-time.		Part-time.		Total Teaching Staff.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1947	842	160	1,333	326	2,661	1953	734	260	919	117	2,030
1948	851	185	1,482	242	2,760	1954	790	274	1,037		2,101
1949	832	178	1,566	189	2,765	1955	855	307	1,102		2,264
1950	840	198	1,163	157	2,358	1956	877	320	1,265		2,462
1951	709	226	817	130	1,882	1957	879	361	1,163	128	2,531
1952	716	268	907	125	2,016	1958	884	375	1,140	197	2,596

No. 59. Technical Education: Students Enrolled, by Courses, 1950 to 1954

Department of Study.	1950.	1951. *	1952. *	1953. *	1954.				
					Diploma. *	Certificate.	Trade and Post-trade.	Others.	Total.
Architecture and Building ...	8,123	7,174	7,298	6,978	115	118	4,993	2,188	7,414
Art	3,250	2,977	3,036	2,898	65	...	25	3,289	3,379
Commercial	6,452	7,213	7,486	7,615	366	2,716	...	5,418	8,500
Engineering—									
Civil	2,740	2,189	2,277	2,507	...	345	2,087	334	2,766
Electrical	4,910	4,129	4,020	4,030	...	...	3,587	235	3,822
Mining	380	414	462	374	...	114	...	188	302
Mechanical	11,769	10,601	11,258	11,862	...	309	8,586	3,637	12,532
Home Science	1,719	1,629	1,836	2,057	27	...	...	2,409	2,436
Management	1,972	1,920	1,847	1,708	61	1,883	...	16	1,960
Preparatory Studies	2,185	1,882	1,983	2,293	...	...	...	2,365	2,365
Printing	800	888	873	847	...	31	832	25	888
Science	1,649	194	259	260	...	309	...	...	309
Sheep and Wool	1,534	1,677	1,781	1,798	...	209	...	1,859	2,068
Women's Handicrafts	10,832	10,801	10,883	10,400	...	237	...	9,641	9,878
Other	2,335	1,515	1,760	2,113	9	265	1,231	1,390	2,895
Total (excl. Correspondence) ...	60,650	55,203	57,059	57,740	643	6,536	21,341	32,994	61,514
Correspondence	8,435	8,962	9,922	10,738	†	†	†	†	6,818
Total, All Students‡	69,085	64,165	66,981	68,478	†	†	†	†	68,332

* Excludes students transferred to University of Technology. † Not available.
‡ For years prior to 1954, Correspondence figures represent subject, as distinct from course, enrolments, and are not comparable with later years

No. 60. Technical Education: Students Enrolled in Trade and Post-trade Courses, 1950 to 1954

Trades Course.	1950.	1951.	1952.	1953.	1954.
Building and Furniture Trades—					
Bricklaying	323	211	197	159	190
Carpentry and Joinery	4,001	3,757	3,753	3,153	3,093
House Painting	563	192	200	217	220
Signwriting	171	136	120	127	139
Wood Machining	247	214	194	199	183
Cabinetmaking	365	398	368	336	335
French Polishing	138	140	117	113	101
Upholstering	115	128	125	118	107
Other	341	254	203	201	263
Total, Building, etc.	6,264	5,430	5,277	4,623	4,631
Mechanical Trades—					
Aircraft Mechanics	230	234	269	266	238
Automotive Mechanics	2,010	1,940	2,160	2,299	2,524
Fitting and Machining	3,416	3,063	3,158	3,334	3,630
Boilermaking	560	398	525	756	818
Shipbuilding	157	162	169	181	188
Patternmaking	164	161	143	142	139
Other	402	354	564	694	714
Total, Mechanical Trades	6,939	6,312	6,988	7,672	8,251
Electrical Trades—					
Electrical Fitters	3,143	3,043	3,061	3,018	3,154
Radio Mechanics	252	240	176	207	156
Telephone Mechanics	359	489	476	470	277
Total, Electrical Trades	3,754	3,772	3,713	3,695	3,587
Plumbing and Allied Trades	1,954	1,750	1,746	1,842	1,983
Printing Trades	784	837	850	774	746
Footwear Trade	594	507	473	571	580
Pastry Cooking	294	182	209	121	96
Other Courses	329	239	268	434	608
Total, Trades Courses	20,912	19,029	19,524	19,732	20,482
Post-trades Courses	131	280	331	655	859
Total, All Trade Courses	21,043	19,309	19,855	20,387	21,341

No. 61. Technical Education: Students* in Principal Training Centres, 1952 to 1954

Centre.	1952.	1953.	1954.
Metropolitan—			
Sydney and East Sydney...	20,162	20,498	21,159
Granville	3,192	3,065	3,340
Kogarah	3,201	3,203	3,781
Leichhardt	1,948	2,330	2,452
North Sydney	2,449	2,723	3,176
Belmore	1,626	1,498	1,755
Meadowbank	864	859	762
Other	†	57	81
Total, Metropolitan ...	33,442	34,233	36,506
Extra-Metropolitan—			
Newcastle District ...	5,566	5,719	6,137
Broken Hill	1,211	1,176	1,132
Wollongong	1,756	1,831	1,992
Albury	677	589	657
Extra-Metropolitan (*cont'd.*)—			
Armidale	316	321	390
Bathurst	513	525	566
Canberra, A.C.T.	1,563	1,265	1,334
Goulburn	975	940	852
Grafton	481	538	476
Lismore	582	636	710
Lithgow	766	674	768
Orange	832	934	1,025
Tamworth	525	494	564
Wagga Wagga	767	808	817
Other	7,001	7,057	7,588
Total, Extra-Metropolitan	23,531	23,507	25,008
Correspondence ‡	9,922	10,738	6,818
Total, All Students ‡ ...	66,895	68,478	68,332

* Excludes Diploma students transferred to University of Technology.

† Included in Granville.

‡ See note ‡, Table 59.

No. 62. Technical Education: Ages of Students Enrolled in each Course, 1954

Excluding Correspondence Students

Course	Age (in years). 15 and 16	17 and 18	19 and 20	21 and 22	23 and 24	25 and 26	27 and 28	29 and 30	31 and 32	33 and 34	35 and over †	Total Students.
Males												
Diploma*	...	70	87	59	70	77	46	40	36	22	56	563
Diploma Preparatory	288	593	407	252	185	93	74	51	37	38	165	2,183
Trades —												
Building	891	1,950	1,215	188	54	48	48	28	32	18	159	4,631
Mechanical Engineering	1,751	4,601	2,583	669	161	68	54	26	22	16	283	10,234
Electrical Engineering	530	1,499	1,012	321	61	33	28	19	13	4	67	3,587
Other	210	714	510	107	31	15	15	13	10	8	76	1,709
Art	386	109	83	44	56	65	42	38	23	26	300	1,172
Women's Handicrafts	2	5	6	1	2	...	...	3	3	2	...	24
Home Science ...	1	3	13	2	...	4	1	2	...	...	8	34
Certificate Courses ...	349	885	691	563	579	436	442	352	312	248	1,027	5,884
Commercial	92	131	97	80	45	41	26	20	27	19	74	652
Other Courses ...	961	1,403	965	901	661	619	592	474	408	391	2,670	10,045
Total Enrolments ...	5,461	11,963	7,669	3,187	1,905	1,499	1,368	1,066	923	792	4,885	40,718
Individual Students	5,364	11,715	7,527	3,045	1,838	1,454	1,328	1,038	901	769	4,796	39,775
Females												
Diploma*	...	22	33	14	3	2	1	...	1	...	4	80
Diploma Preparatory	25	58	40	17	8	10	4	1	3	1	15	182
Trades —												
Other‡	141	134	16	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	303
Art	608	173	132	92	50	45	24	24	26	25	887	2,086
Women's Handicrafts	1,022	1,446	790	480	339	323	275	276	280	267	4,044	9,542
Home Science ...	23	297	375	280	157	76	55	63	45	43	920	2,334
Certificate Courses ...	88	151	98	34	15	15	11	6	5	19	72	514
Commercial	1,948	1,511	459	176	93	61	38	42	31	13	340	4,712
Other Courses ...	157	204	84	55	29	21	15	20	24	20	414	1,043
Total Enrolments ...	4,012	3,996	2,027	1,153	694	553	423	432	415	388	6,703	20,796
Individual Students	3,907	3,842	1,910	1,075	647	509	396	391	376	357	6,079	19,489
Total Students												
Diploma*	...	92	120	73	73	79	47	40	37	22	60	643
Diploma Preparatory	313	651	447	269	193	103	78	52	40	39	180	2,365
Trades —												
Building	891	1,950	1,215	188	54	48	48	28	32	18	159	4,631
Mechanical Engineering	1,751	4,601	2,583	669	161	68	54	26	22	16	283	10,234
Electrical Engineering	530	1,499	1,012	321	61	33	28	19	13	4	67	3,587
Other	351	848	526	112	31	15	15	13	10	8	83	2,012
Art	994	282	215	136	106	110	66	62	49	51	1,187	3,258
Women's Handicrafts	1,024	1,451	796	481	341	323	275	279	283	269	4,044	9,566
Home Science ...	24	300	388	282	157	80	56	65	45	43	928	2,368
Certificate Courses ...	437	1,036	789	597	594	451	453	358	317	267	1,099	6,398
Commercial	2,040	1,642	556	256	138	102	64	62	58	32	414	5,364
Other Courses ...	1,118	1,607	1,049	956	690	640	607	494	432	411	3,084	11,088
Total Enrolments ...	9,473	15,959	9,696	4,340	2,599	2,052	1,791	1,498	1,338	1,180	11,588	61,514
Individual Students	9,271	15,557	9,437	4,120	2,485	1,963	1,724	1,429	1,277	1,126	10,875	59,264

* Excludes students transferred to University of Technology.

† Includes students whose ages were unknown.

‡ Mainly hairdressing.

No. 63. Government Agricultural Colleges and High Schools: Students, 1947 to 1958

Year.	Hawkesbury Agricultural College.	Wagga Agricultural College.	Hurlstone Agricultural High School.	Yanco Agricultural High School.	Farrer Memorial Agricultural High School.	Year.	Hawkesbury Agricultural College.	Wagga Agricultural College.	Hurlstone Agricultural High School	Yanco Agricultural High School.	Farrer Memorial Agricultural High School.
1947	193	...	423	227	147	1953	224	58	461	216	138
1948	169	32	416	226	150	1954	216	60	463	210	159
1949	199	32	400	212	155	1955	225	65	452	216	172
1950	184	39	424	196	156	1956	234	75	473	216	213
1951	190	55	426	205	149	1957	236	79	500	202	245
1952	201	55	449	218	149	1958	236	94	529	258	212

NOTE. The Hawkesbury and Wagga Agricultural Colleges provide post-school training for residential students. The High Schools have special facilities for agricultural training and most of the students are in residence. Agricultural courses are also provided at other public secondary schools and at some private schools.

No. 64. Public Library of N.S.W.: Volumes, Readers, etc., 1952-53 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Reference Department.†				Country Circulation Department.			Research Department—Researches made.	Total Staff.*	
	No. of Volumes.*	Average No. of Seated Readers.			No. of Volumes.*	Volumes Circulated.				
		Week-days.	Sundays.	Holidays.		To Institutions.	To Individuals.		At Public Library.	In other Departmental Libraries.
1953	480,631	202	287	182	140,814	149,120	29,190	570	115	84
1954	499,565	178	277	180	148,128	160,613	29,340	531	114	96
1955	509,203	174	275	182	156,711	156,334	30,580	459	124	98
1956	518,243	174	281	176	159,383	138,963	33,284	378	122	103
1957	529,657	144	260	153	159,674	139,000	33,000	383	119	100
1958	557,728	152	264	168	150,236	131,451	30,907	484	126	113

* At 30th June. † Including the Mitchell Library (approximately 162,000 volumes at 30th June, 1958)

No. 65. Public Library of N.S.W.: Expenditure, 1952-53 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Expenditure from Revenue*.				Expenditure on Books from Trustees' Funds.†
	Salaries.	Books and Periodicals.	Other.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£
1953	126,198	12,998	47,529	186,725	4,671
1954	133,846	14,000	54,715	202,561	8,162
1955	160,193	15,993	53,327	229,513	6,446
1956	178,006	16,000	49,571 ‡	243,577 ‡	6,702
1957	173,637	17,997	62,584	254,218	6,019
1958	183,336	19,984	95,382	298,702	4,715

* Excludes expenditure by Library Board—see Table 66. † Financed partly by Special Appropriation from Consolidated Revenue Fund. ‡ Revised.

No. 66. Local Public Libraries Subsidised by the State, 1952-53 to 1957-58

At 30th June.	No. of Councils which had adopted Library Act.	Number of Libraries.			Total Library Staff.	Expenditure on Subsidised Libraries.		Library Board Salaries, etc.
		Sydney and Suburbs.	Other Districts.	Total.		From Subsidies to Councils.	From Council Funds.*	
						£	£	£
1953	127	26	104	130	303	149,917	264,000	5,638
1954	138	28	100	128	358	132,560	324,000	5,680
1955	145	27	102	129	369	145,903	403,000	7,774
1956	151	32	116	148	439	158,622	564,000	8,595†
1957	150	38	113	151	516	159,940	573,000	10,489
1958	157	39	119	158	479	177,928	641,000	10,206

*Approximate. † Revised.

NOTE. These libraries are operated by Local Government Authorities and are subsidised by the State under the Library Act, 1939–1952, which is administered by the Library Board. Only councils which have adopted the Act are entitled to State subsidy. Two or more councils may co-operate in providing library service.

No. 67. Local Public Libraries Subsidised by the State: Volumes and Readers, 1952-53 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Volumes at end of year.			Volume Issues during year.			Total Registered Borrowers.
	Children's.	Other.	Total.	Total.	Average Daily.		
					Children's.	Other.	
1953	269,151	582,813	851,964	*	8,063	14,549	342,836
1954	323,738	683,662	1,007,400	5,947,632	8,491	16,907	388,367
1955	394,073	772,342	1,166,415	6,777,240	7,344	15,440	394,657
1956	432,584	890,018	1,322,602	8,055,839	8,056	19,229	436,643
1957	496,016	986,226	1,482,242	9,380,457	9,448	22,012	513,330
1958	548,630	1,105,318	1,653,948	10,597,446	10,295	25,070	576,031

* Not available.

No. 68. Principal Local Public Libraries Subsidised by the State: Volumes, 1957 and 1958

Library.	At 30th June.		Library.	At 30th June.		Library.	At 30th June.	
	1957.	1958.		1957.	1958.		1957.	1958.
Sydney	187,588	199,015	Rockdale	16,351	24,146	Lake Macquarie (Sh.)	45,927	60,141
Bankstown	30,556	37,214	Ryde	27,479	27,888	Lismore	23,053	23,337
Canterbury	55,012	58,251	Sutherland	37,747	40,948	Lithgow	21,276	23,099
Fairfield	27,762	29,264	Woollahra	16,594	23,581	Maitland	24,049	23,575
Ku-ring-gai ...	62,041	66,291	Albury	41,980	45,432	Newcastle	77,869	84,253
Marrickville... ...	58,076	65,087	Broken Hill	30,880	33,207	Orange (Region) ...	...	21,977
Mosman	24,041	25,811	Gosford (Shire) ...	38,170	29,264	Tamworth	56,510	67,407
Randwick	43,384	45,748	Goulburn	29,190	24,924	Wollongong	111,292	126,501

No. 69. City of Sydney Public Library : Volumes and Expenditure, 1953 to 1958

Year.	Number of Volumes at End of Year.				Number of Volume Issues.		Expenditure.		
	Central Library.	Branch Libraries.	Playground Libraries.	Total.	Total.	Average Daily.	Administration, etc.	New Books.*	Total.
							£	£	£
1953	78,014	42,826	15,050	135,890	805,910	2,798	56,481	9,402	65,883
1954	79,296	48,605	15,098	142,999	766,935	2,547	50,829	11,882	62,711
1955	80,354	50,425	15,688	146,467	688,994	2,367	75,228	14,718	89,946
1956	93,977	71,940	15,430	181,347	848,194	2,808	115,581	19,677	135,258
1957	96,505	76,881	14,202	187,588	1,062,304	3,506	82,754	15,772	98,526
1958	101,096	83,353	14,566	199,015	960,207	3,169	88,834	16,897	105,731

* Excluding Periodicals.

No. 70. City of Sydney Public Library and Branch Libraries : Classification of Volumes, 1957 and 1958

Library.	1957.					1958.				
	Non-Fiction.	Fiction.	Juvenile.	Periodicals.	Total.	Non-Fiction.	Fiction.	Juvenile.	Periodicals.	Total.
Central Library ...	68,101	11,057	12,470	4,877	96,505	69,847	11,889	14,269	5,091	101,096
Branch Libraries —										
Newtown	7,953	3,091	6,044	2,297	19,385	8,462	3,348	5,677	1,747	19,234
Paddington... ...	6,168	5,970	6,064	1,820	20,022	6,723	6,281	6,432	1,947	21,383
Alexandria	4,005	4,216	4,696	1,442	14,359	4,352	4,447	4,874	1,292	14,965
Surry Hills	3,429	4,593	2,382	467	10,871	3,977	5,120	2,884	568	12,549
Glebe	3,256	3,412	3,046	1,157	10,871	4,014	3,942	3,947	1,528	13,431
Erskineville ...	...	...	1,304	69	1,373	...	...	1,662	129	1,791
Playground Libraries	...	...	14,202	...	14,202	...	...	14,566	...	14,566
Total	92,912	32,339	50,208	12,129	187,588	97,375	35,027	54,311	12,302	199,015

No. 71. City of Sydney Public Library and Branch Libraries : Volume Issues and Membership, 1956 to 1958

Library.	Volume Issues.								Membership at 31st December, 1958.
	1956.	1957.	1958.						
			Non-Fiction.	Fiction.	Juvenile.	Periodicals.	Total.	Average Daily.	
Central Library ...	410,455	529,679	220,189	166,116	69,802	44,503	500,610	1,652	22,324
Branch Libraries —									
Newtown	127,932	128,395	21,548	53,027	27,506	7,652	109,733	362	3,301
Paddington ...	128,148	127,424	23,017	61,023	22,575	10,986	117,601	388	3,372
Alexandria ...	47,644	51,976	6,867	25,103	7,836	4,932	44,738	148	954
Surry Hills ...	79,660	106,129	15,657	54,983	18,141	4,310	93,091	307	2,399
Glebe	34,108	95,056	20,106	34,549	14,872	5,849	75,376	249	2,761
Erskineville ...	3,625	6,047	...	...	4,681	92	4,773	16	345
Playground Libraries	16,622	17,598	...	...	14,285	...	14,285	47	797
Total	848,194	1,062,304	307,384	394,801	179,698	78,324	960,207	3,169	36,253

No. 72. Australian Museum : Visitors and Expenditure, 1952-53 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Number of Visitors.					Expenditure.		Bound Volumes in Library at 31st December.
	For the Year.			Average Attendance.				
	Week-days.	Sundays.	Total.	Week-days.	Sundays.	From Revenue.	From Loans (Gross).	
						£	£	
1953	211,544	78,148	289,692	680	1,503	56,866	1,102	33,551*
1954	188,354	71,419	259,773	602	1,373	57,881	...	31,268
1955	185,245	75,949	261,194	592	1,461	62,628	...	31,496
1956	212,609	83,206	295,815	679	1,570	71,163	...	31,749
1957	241,005	77,058	318,063	772	1,454	70,150	...	32,062
1958	232,179	68,495	300,674	742	1,317	79,642	1,252	32,313

* Includes Periodicals.

No. 73. Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences, 1953 to 1958

Year.	Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences.					Number of Country Branches.
	Number of Visitors.		Average Attendance.		Expenditure from Revenue, Year ended 30th June. *	
	Week-days.	Sundays.	Week-days.	Sundays.		
					£	
1953	113,976	43,041	364	828	42,942	4
1954	112,680	46,852	360	901	51,616	4
1955	114,716	27,970	367	548	50,590	3
1956	92,869	30,505	299	576	59,404	3
1957	105,024	30,627	336	589	52,369	3
1958	112,826	26,706	360	513	51,451	3

* Including expenditure on country branches.

No. 74. National Art Gallery of New South Wales, 1949 to 1958

Year.	Works of Art* at end of Year.		Expenditure during Year ended 30th June.		Year.	Works of Art* at end of Year.		Expenditure during Year ended 30th June.	
	Paintings and Drawings.	Other.	From Revenue.	From Loans (Gross).		Paintings and Drawings.	Other.	From Revenue.	From Loans (Gross).
			£	£				£	£
1949	3,587	1,286	16,730	...	1954	4,234	1,589	33,197	...
1950	3,710	1,287	16,626	...	1955	4,274	1,590	35,546	...
1951	3,699	1,293	20,794	515	1956	4,351	1,599	32,018	...
1952	3,820	1,294	23,332	2,176	1957	4,498	1,617	33,684	...
1953	3,897	1,543	30,018	3,274	1958	4,804	1,621	36,860	5,150

Works of Art in the Gallery on 31st December	*1957*	*1958*
Oil Paintings	1,419	1,456
Water-colour Drawings	904	925
Prints and Drawings	2,175	2,423
Sculpture and Casts	287	291
Various Art Works in Metals, Ivory, Ceramics, Glass, Mosaic, etc. ...	1,330	1,330

* Excludes Reproductions (1,974 in December, 1958)

No. 75. Conservatorium of Music: Students, Receipts and Expenditure, 1954 to 1958

Particulars	Year ended 30th June*				
	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958
Receipts (£)					
Tuition Fees.....	50,377	52,708	56,052	60,276	66,448
Examination Fees, etc.	19,164	24,855	24,785	29,629	29,903
Other...	4,297	3,402	3,310	3,750	3,646
Total Receipts —					
To Conservatorium Trust Account	72,179	79,101	82,170	91,723	97,834
To Consolidated Revenue Fund †	1,659	1,864	1,977	1,932	2,163
Total †	73,838	80,965	84,147	93,655	99,997
Payments (£)					
To Teachers of Music	40,245	42,211	44,070	49,557	53,372
Administration Expenses	41,125	60,266	52,310	48,732	54,161
Other	19,573	18,885	21,716	19,498	15,491
Total Payments —					
From Conservatorium Trust Account † ...	59,818	61,096	65,786	69,055	68,863
From Consolidated Revenue Fund	41,125	60,266	52,310	48,732	54,161
Total †	100,943	121,362	118,096	117,787	123,024
Students					
Sydney	2,196	2,173	2,170	2,226	2,137
Newcastle	608	552	604	546	548

* Year ended December for "Students".
† To avoid duplication, annual transfers from the Conservatorium Trust Account to the Consolidated Revenue Fund are excluded, as follows: £11,320, £11,405, £12,317, £12,122, and £17,075 in the years 1954 to 1958, respectively.

No. 76. Transport Institutes, New South Wales, 1953 to 1958

At 30th June.	Railway Institute.			Government Transport Institute.		
	Members.	Students.	Volumes in Libraries.	Members.	Students.	Volumes in Libraries.
1953	32,902	11,447	142,369	10,453	84	48,663
1954	33,026	11,138	140,962	9,900	114	50,700
1955	32,246	10,262	136,498	9,593	116	50,900
1956	32,565	10,020	141,775	9,815	93	49,759
1957	33,173	11,246	146,499	8,669	126	46,726
1958	32,397	10,821	152,247	8,445	53	45,268

SECTION II. PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

No. 1. Expenditure by the State Government on Public Health and Social Amelioration, 1955-56 to 1958-59

Head of Expenditure	Year ended 30th June.			
	1956.	1957.	1958.	1959.
	£	£	£	£
EXPENDITURE FROM CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND				
PROMOTION OF PUBLIC HEALTH—				
Care of the Sick and Mentally Afflicted—				
Subsidies to Hospitals and Institutions*	15,240,719	17,159,587	18,268,752	18,942,071
State Mental Hospitals and Institutions*	4,199,400	4,567,226	4,750,937	5,161,787
Institutions for Backward and Mentally Deficient Children ...	39,080	41,988	48,218	55,221
Total*	19,479,199	21,768,801	23,067,907	24,159,079
Health for Mothers and Children—				
Baby Health Centres	201,960	205,801	207,063	221,453
Maternity Homes (Child Welfare Department)	10,398	12,284	12,085	11,841
Total	212,358	218,085	219,148	233,294
Preservation of Health—				
Inspection of Meat, Food, Dairies, etc.	232,862	241,518	288,492	262,197
Medical Examination and Health of School Children	1,264,444	1,296,055	1,373,578	1,472,540
Encouragement of National Fitness	75,999	71,527	89,568	109,696
Total	1,573,305	1,609,100	1,751,638	1,844,433
Administration, Medical Services, etc., Health, Mental Hospitals and Child Welfare Departments	1,029,766	1,054,672	1,107,918	1,226,075
*Total, Promotion of Public Health**	*22,294,628*	*24,650,658*	*26,146,611*	*27,462,881*
SOCIAL AMELIORATION—				
Relief of the Destitute, Blind, Aged and Incapacitated	2,118,811	2,438,955	2,552,808	2,519,273
Maintenance of Deserted Wives, Widows, and Children	438,949	466,880	530,305	577,083
Widows' Pensions (including child allowances)	143,832	113,747	82,037	70,302
Legal Aid	28,156	29,816	31,482	57,540
Care of Aboriginals	174,967	181,585	205,028	204,576
Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill)	48,631	47,338	53,146	48,705
Food Relief	117,475	141,507	151,591	148,386
Housing	21,783	373,929	1,406,677	401,927
Administration	143,267	141,895	157,733	170,423
Miners' Pensions, Government Contribution	80,000	80,000	80,000	80,000
Total, Social Amelioration	*3,315,871*	*4,015,652*	*5,250,807*	*4,278,215*
Total Expenditure* from Consolidated Revenue Fund	25,610,499	28,666,310	31,397,418	31,741,096
EXPENDITURE ON HOSPITALS FROM PROFITS OF GOVERNMENT INSURANCE OFFICE				
Total	416	25	7,328	...
LOAN EXPENDITURE (GROSS)				
New Buildings, Additions, Repairs, etc.—				
State Hospitals and Homes	107,321	72,128	106,901	194,755
State Mental Hospitals	947,174	1,104,978	1,050,132	714,939
Public Hospitals	3,730,000	3,350,000	3,550,000	3,805,900
Baby Health Centres	33,348	36,745	39,034	43,981
Aboriginal Stations	13,640	4,772	18,484	2,677
Child Welfare Institutions	81,060	13,880	47,512	103,769
National Fitness Camps	6,219	6,388	7,869	4,262
Other	871	649	50,000	115,082
Total, Loan Expenditure	4,919,633	4,589,540	4,869,932	4,985,365

* Includes Commonwealth Hospital Benefits, etc., disbursed by the State. The amounts paid into the Consolidated Revenue Fund of New South Wales under the Commonwealth Hospital Benefits Scheme, etc., were as follows:—

	1955–56. £	1956–57. £	1957–58 £	1958-59 £
Hospital Benefits Act, 1951	2,325,028	2,200,000	1,950,000	2,325,000
Tuberculosis Act, 1948	1,508,452	1,625,000	1,740,107	1,789,097
Distribution of Milk to School Children	1,042,172	1,094,469	1,139,512	1,191,548
Pharmaceutical Benefits Act, 1947–52	445,591	447,000	486,063	612,414

No. 2. Expenditure by the Commonwealth Government on Social Services* in New South Wales†, 1951-52 to 1958-59

Social Service	Year ended 30th June.							
	1952.	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.	1959.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Age and Invalid Pensions	25,075,215	30,532,736	34,042,096	36,953,789	42,515,180	45,418,502	50,499,578	53,815,996
Widows' Pensions ...	2,315,178	2,630,192	2,766,555	2,826,624	3,171,885	3,656,303	3,920,282	4,297,736
Child Endowment ...	17,793,919	20,012,263	19,137,687	19,591,156	22,209,602	20,975,500	21,466,863	24,610,073
Maternity Allowances ...	1,182,358	1,195,046	1,173,058	1,262,819	1,222,596	1,268,967	1,299,413	1,285,755
Hospital Benefits ...	2,697,613	2,841,452	3,463,501	4,019,007	4,000,607	4,070,831	4,338,035	6,377,643
Medical Benefits ...	...	...	645,311	1,855,211	2,449,426	2,715,955	3,117,205	3,383,799
Pharmaceutical Benefits	3,026,778	2,469,908	3,152,467	3,947,215	4,403,693	4,061,253	5,402,279	7,537,874
Medical and Other Benefits to Pensioners	786,441	1,285,476	1,609,411	1,937,302	2,192,047	2,347,641	2,550,846	2,996,675
Mental Institution Benefits	203,505	208,888	209,772	106,525	...	...	...	...
Tuberculosis Campaign	1,622,039	1,518,446	2,003,012	2,192,402	2,149,641	2,150,161	2,178,349	2,149,666
Unemployment and Sickness Benefits ...	350,881	3,305,661	2,077,962	1,057,356	986,258	1,432,625	2,692,325	3,499,373
Nutrition of Children ...	443,376	706,335	886,144	991,349	1,053,771	1,109,115	1,156,198	1,209,152
Other Benefits‡ ...	99,951	132,550	127,906	148,681	477,839	909,739	821,117	747,400
Total	55,597,254	66,838,953	71,294,882	76,889,436	86,832,545	90,116,592	99,442,490	111,911,142

* Items listed in the National Welfare Fund.
† Includes Australian Capital Territory.
‡ Includes expenditure on the production of poliomyelitis vaccine by the Commonwealth. This expenditure cannot be dissected between the various States, and amounted to £250,000 in 1955-56, £650,242 in 1956-57, £536,927 in 1957-58, and £403,911 in 1958-59.

No. 3. State and Commonwealth Expenditure from Revenue on Social Services and Public Health in New South Wales*, 1948-49 to 1958-59

Year ended 30th June.	State. †	Commonwealth. *	Total. Expenditure.	Expenditure per Head of Population.		
				State.†	Commonwealth.*	Total.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1949	9,520,147	32,376,657	41,896,804	3 2 5	10 11 0	13 13 5
1950	11,580,578	37,633,112	49,213,690	3 13 8	11 17 7	15 11 3
1951	13,401,031	45,823,512	59,224,543	4 2 9	14 0 11	18 3 8
1952	17,573,640	55,597,254	73,170,894	5 6 1	16 13 2	21 19 3
1953	19,773,062	66,838,953	86,612,015	5 17 6	19 13 10	25 11 4
1954	19,179,065	71,294,882	90,473,947	5 12 8	20 15 1	26 7 9
1955	19,620,664	76,889,436	96,510,100	5 13 5	22 4 6	27 17 11
1956	20,289,672	86,832,545	107,122,217	5 15 2	24 8 1	30 3 3
1957	23,299,866	90,116,592	113,416,458	6 9 10	24 17 4	31 7 2
1958	26,089,064	99,442,490	125,531,554	7 2 8	26 17 10	34 0 6
1959	25,823,037	111,911,142	137,734,179	6 18 7	29 10 0	36 8 7

* Commonwealth Expenditure includes also the Australian Capital Territory.
† Excludes Commonwealth Hospital Benefits, etc. (see note *, Table 1).

No. 4. Hospitals Contribution Fund of New South Wales, 1950–51 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Benefits granted to Contributors.	Income.*			Expenditure.				Accumulated Funds at 30th June.
		Contributions.	Other.	Total.	Administration.	Benefits Paid to or on behalf of Patients.*	Grants to Hospitals.	Total.*	
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1950	88,361	569,276	5,652	574,928	78,846	398,341	51,072	528,259	213,471
1951	88,594	597,849	7,103	604,952	90,282	408,716	70,000	568,998	252,165
1952	89,326	664,863	6,770	671,633	112,143	431,625	95,000	638,768	280,011
1953	†	1,313,368	9,082	1,322,450	187,831	616,858	107,552	912,241	686,020
1954	201,232	1,992,621	24,950	2,017,571	216,927	1,369,182	113,209	1,699,318	1,004,383
1955	227,926	2,250,641	34,889	2,285,530	245,927	1,802,829	114,439	2,163,195	1,127,033
1956	208,370	3,031,586	48,659	3,080,245	320,325	2,112,647	...	2,432,972	1,774,867
1957	233,501	3,843,336	70,254	3,913,590	369,584	3,170,408	...	3,539,992	2,149,444
1958	221,132	4,427,360	87,757	4,515,117	401,089	3,604,767	...	4,005,856	2,653,389
1959	234,082	4,957,039	119,176	5,076,215	490,509	4,228,141	...	4,718,650	3,012,360‡

* Excludes Hospital Benefits disbursed on behalf of Commonwealth Government.
† Not available.
‡ Comprises Reserves for unpresented claims (£1,600,000), special purposes (£141,497), and general purposes (£913,298), and undistributed balance (£357,565).

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No. 5. Hospitals under the Control of the Hospitals Commission of N.S.W.: Maintenance Income and Expenditure, 1947–48 to 1957–58

INCOME FOR MAINTENANCE

Year ended 30th June.	Government Subsidies.*	Public Contributions, Donations, etc.	Patients' Fees.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
1948	5,391,839	176,809	1,133,863	173,768	6,876,279
1949	6,700,222	146,627	1,387,067	189,543	8,423,459
1950	8,025,592	169,512	1,488,127	207,194	9,890,425
1951	10,341,292	128,341	1,594,651	236,266	12,300,550
1952	13,139,649	128,788	1,856,780	249,853	15,375,070
1953	14,878,567	132,770	3,876,972	279,578	19,167,887
1954	14,054,376	114,390	4,784,788	293,154	19,246,708
1955	14,523,544	127,591	5,142,451	285,629	20,079,215
1956	14,580,317	133,521	6,792,368	299,273	21,805,479
1957	16,298,129	143,196	7,765,598	343,873	24,550,796
1958	18,159,568	145,728	8,233,850	378,098	26,917,244

EXPENDITURE ON MAINTENANCE

Year ended 30th June.	Salaries and Wages.	Provisions, Drugs, Fuel, Domestic Utilities.	Special Departments.	General Establishment.	Renewals, Renovations, Repairs.	Interest.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1948	4,278,501	1,873,111	175,514	270,825	236,568	93,840	6,928,359
1949	5,328,182	2,329,986	201,809	330,306	300,270	95,038	8,585,591
1950	6,087,401	2,747,919	236,466	410,028	374,346	83,114	9,939,274
1951	7,579,938	3,377,588	308,368	452,707	407,161	75,586	12,201,348
1952	10,193,249	4,458,933	396,374	553,932	499,012	72,854	16,174,354
1953	11,971,813	4,619,614	419,694	588,821	483,711	75,252	18,158,905
1954	12,444,867	4,828,881	466,222	646,774	632,189	64,952	19,083,885
1955	13,043,492	5,190,339	517,277	728,934	772,562	63,428	20,316,032
1956	14,638,480	5,558,722	557,592	1,073,876	726,321	52,826	22,607,817
1957	16,170,166	5,947,403	593,291	1,276,959	649,603	48,447	24,685,869
1958	17,100,318	6,365,873	611,339	1,400,272	775,537	40,240	26,293,579

* Includes Commonwealth Hospital Benefits disbursed by the State in 1947 and later years.

No. 6. Hospitals under the Control of the Hospitals Commission of New South Wales: Maintenance Income and Expenditure, 1956–57 and 1957–58

Particulars.	1956–57			1957–58		
	Metropolis.	Other Districts.	Total.	Metropolis.	Other Districts.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
INCOME FOR MAINTENANCE*						
Government Subsidies—						
In respect of current year	8,722,387	7,062,029	15,784,416	9,758,200	7,408,604	17,166,804
In respect of other years	271,223	242,490	513,713	514,382	478,382	992,764
Total	8,993,610	7,304,519	16,298,129	10,272,582	7,886,986	18,159,568
Public Contributions, Donations, Proceeds of Entertainments, etc. ...	96,000	47,196	143,196	96,678	49,050	145,728
Patients' Fees	3,997,047	3,768,551	7,765,598	4,229,092	4,004,758	8,233,850
Other	196,868	147,005	343,873	223,342	154,756	378,098
Total Income for Maintenance	13,283,525	11,267,271	24,550,796	14,821,694	12,095,550	26,917,244
EXPENDITURE ON MAINTENANCE*						
Salaries and Wages	8,895,175	7,274,991	16,170,166	9,501,414	7,598,904	17,100,318
Provisions	1,426,931	1,321,408	2,748,339	1,502,542	1,336,245	2,838,787
Drugs and Surgical Appliances	873,805	606,196	1,480,001	1,049,767	676,438	1,726,205
Fuel, Light, and Power	503,538	544,698	1,048,236	539,790	549,611	1,089,401
Domestic Utilities	387,169	283,658	670,827	408,756	302,724	711,480
Special Departments	294,730	298,561	593,291	315,206	296,133	611,339
General Establishment Expenses ...	699,166	577,793	1,276,959	760,010	640,262	1,400,272
Renewals, Renovations, and Repairs ...	363,497	286,106	649,603	413,124	362,413	775,537
Interest	29,203	19,244	48,447	25,659	14,581	40,240
Total Cost of Maintenance	13,473,214	11,212,655	24,685,869	14,516,268	11,777,311	26,293,579

* Excludes loan receipts and loan expenditure. The actual expenditure on buildings, equipment, and plant is not known.

No. 7. Hospitals under the Control of the Hospitals Commission of New South Wales: Hospitals, Beds, and Patients Treated, 1947-48 to 1957-58

At 30th June.	Hospitals.			Beds.						Patients Treated During Year.	
							Private, Intermediate and Public.				
	Metropolis.	Other Districts.	Total.	Private.	Inter-mediate.	Public.	Metropolis.	Other Districts.	Total.	In-Patients.	Out-Patients.
1948	56	182	238	1,085	2,642	13,953	7,796	9,884	17,680	317,475	823,084
1949	53	190	243	1,131	2,564	14,142	7,693	10,144	17,837	338,234	865,803
1950	55	196	251	1,122	2,760	14,375	7,816	10,441	18,257	343,997	927,459
1951	54	201	255	993	2,733	14,810	7,757	10,779	18,536	362,665	991,710
1952	55	202	257	1,008	2,802	14,952	7,905	10,857	18,762	376,343	1,046,507
1953	58	203	261	1,152	2,965	14,988	8,201	10,904	19,105	394,509	1,084,875
1954	56	203	259	1,062	3,084	15,089	8,253	10,982	19,235	398,863	1,083,857
1955	59	203	262	1,104	3,224	15,436	8,574	11,190	19,764	406,901	1,090,879
1956	59	205	264	1,112	3,585	15,503	8,753	11,447	20,200	414,132	1,077,618
1957	62	206	268	1,161	3,816	16,016	9,333	11,660	20,993	424,618	1,073,044
1958	63	207	270	1,183	4,083	16,359	9,763	11,862	21,625	450,030	1,107,073

No. 8. Hospitals under the Control of the Hospitals Commission of New South Wales: Patients and Bed-days, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	In-Patients.*				Out-Patients.		Average Total Cost per Occupied Bed per Day.†	Babies Born in Hospital.	
	Treated	Number of Bed-days.	Average Stay in Days.	Average Daily Number of Occupied Beds.	Treated.	Attendances.		Number.	Bed-days.
							s. d.		
1948	317,475	4,452,485	14·0	12,165	823,084	2,365,877	28 5	38,855	402,051
1949	338,234	4,556,664	13·5	12,484	865,803	2,375,145	34 4	41,890	392,047
1950	343,997	4,744,815	13.8	12,999	927,459	2,511,339	38 2	48,291	463,733
1951	362,665	4,944,420	13·6	13,547	991,710	2,698,485	44 8	51,681	480,778
1952	376,343	4,978,953	13·2	13,604	1,046,507	2,835,714	58 6	56,617	519,500
1953	394,509	5,092,645	12·9	13,952	1,084,875	2,930,649	64 2	60,989	544,690
1954	398,863	5,092,318	12·7	13,952	1,083,857	2,919,637	67 6	61,516	576,372
1955	406,901	5,196,388	12·8	14,237	1,090,879	2,929,266	70 6	62,288	579,329
1956	414,132	5,210,229	12·6	14,236 ‡	1,077,618	2,822,631	78 4	63,873	581,098
1957	424,618	5,320,062	12·5	14,576	1,073,044	2,762,791	84 0	66,411	590,862
1958	450,030	5,472,519	12·2	14,993	1,107,073	2,806,753	86 11	69,343	600,316

* Excludes all newly-born babies from 1954 onwards; previously included those qualified under Commonwealth Hospital Benefit Scheme.

† In calculating the average cost per occupied bed, each 700 out-patients treated is taken as equal to one occupied bed. The "Total Cost" is the total expenditure on maintenance shown in Table 5.

‡ Revised.

No. 9. Hospitals under the Control of the Hospitals Commission of New South Wales: In-Patients*, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Treated During Year.			Discharges and Deaths During Year.			In Hospital at 30th June.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Deaths.	Discharges.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1948	133,215	184,260	317,475	10,258	294,534	304,792	5,466	7,217	12,683
1949	140,842	197,392	338,234	10,431	315,577	326,008	5,413	6,813	12,226
1950	139,836	204,161	343,997	10,410	320,079	330,489	5,863	7,645	13,508
1951	147,124	215,541	362,665	11,204	337,841	349,045	5,861	7,759	13,620
1952	149,812	226,531	376,343	11,236	350,936	362,172	6,093	8,078	14,171
1953	153,834	240,675	394,509	11,181	368,946	380,127	6,232	8,150	14,382
1954	156,410	242,453	398,863	11,602	372,432	384,034	6,327	8,502	14,829
1955	159,429	247,472	406,901	11,800	380,099	391,899	6,302	8,700	15,002
1956	161,920	252,212	414,132	12,260	387,605	399,865	5,974	8,293	14,267
1957	164,660	259,958	424,618	12,869	396,862	409,731	6,190	8,697	14,887
1958	175,909	274,121	450,030	13,211	421,276	434,487	6,540	9,003	15,543

See note *, Table 8.

No. 10. Hospitals under the Control of the Hospitals Commission of New South Wales: In-Patients by Sex and Area, 1957–58

Particulars.	Metropolis.			Other Districts.			Total, N.S.W.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
In hospital on 1st July, 1957 ...	2,844	4,427	7,271	3,346	4,270	7,616	6,190	8,697	14,887
Admitted during year	66,790	121,739	188,529	102,929	143,685	246,614	169,719	265,424	435,143
Under care during year ...	69,634	126,166	195,800	106,275	147,955	254,230	175,909	274,121	450,030
Discharges and deaths during year—									
Deaths	3,416	3,064	6,480	3,968	2,763	6,731	7,384	5,827	13,211
Discharges	63,254	118,498	181,752	98,731	140,793	239,524	161,985	259,291	421,276
Total, deaths and discharges	66,670	121,562	188,232	102,699	143,556	246,255	169,369	265,118	434,487
In hospital on 30th June, 1958	2,964	4,604	7,568	3,576	4,399	7,975	6,540	9,003	15,543

No. 11. Hospitals under the Control of the Hospitals Commission of N.S.W.: Staffs, 1953 to 1958

Particulars.	At 30th June.							
	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.		
						Metropolis.	Other Districts.	Total, N.S.W.
Honorary Medical Officers ...	3,033	3,083	3,256	3,446	3,807	2,796	1,233	4,029
Other Honorary Staff ...	313	272	246	324	452	206	316	522
Total Honorary Staff*... ...	3,346	3,355	3,502	3,770	4,259	3,002	1,549	4,551
Salaries and Wages Staff—								
Administrative and Clerical	1,585	1,695	1,732	1,843	1,877	1,209	765	1,974
Medical Officers	735	718	724	748	684	679	136	815
Nursing Staff	10,061	10,015	10,450	11,035	11,734	6,401	5,817	12,218
Domestic and Laundry Staff	6,825	7,031	7,380	7,808	8,036	4,420	3,829	8,249
Maintenance Staff... ...	1,386	1,475	1,575	1,621	1,596	729	922	1,651
Special Departments ...	1,510	1,542	1,704	1,651	1,755	1,239	540	1,779
Other...	70	65	79	125	185	138	36	174
Total Salaries and Wages Staff	22,172	22,541	23,644	24,831	25,867	14,815	12,045	26,860

* Represents number of appointments, not individuals.

No. 12. Hospitals at Government Homes*: Patients, 1953 to 1958

Year.	At Beginning of Year.	Admitted During Year.	Treated During Year.			Discharged.	Died.	At End of Year.		
			Males.	Females.	Persons.			Males.	Females.	Persons.
1953	1,205	3,710	4,555	360	4,915	2,803	875	997	240	1,237
1954	1,237	3,594	4,518	313	4,831	2,644	988	968	231	1,199
1955	1,199	3,815	4,708	306	5,014	2,864	957	961	232	1,193
1956	1,193	3,812	4,701	304	5,005	2,814	987	975	229	1,204
1957	1,204	3,602	4,513	293	4,806	2,739	887	962	218	1,180
1958	941	1,760	2,397	304	2,701	1,169	541	773	218	991

* Liverpool, Lidcombe, and Newington until 1957. In 1958, the hospital at Liverpool Home was closed, and the patients were transferred to Carrawarra Hospital, Liverpool District Hospital, and the Lidcombe State Hospital and Home.

No. 13. State Baby Health Centres, 1951 to 1958

Year.	No. of Centres.	Nursing Staff. *	Visits to Individual Newly-Born Babies.	Subsequent Visits to Homes of Babies.	New Cases Enrolled.	Attendances at Centres.	Expenditure During Year ended 30th June Following.
							£
1951	284	176	9,137	8,720	45,614	1,022,884	151,837
1952	295	176	10,749	10,139	48,622	1,061,371	175,980
1953	303	185	10,899	9,856	49,048	1,100,709	178,811
1954	315	186	13,126	12,232	48,285	1,063,357	189,683
1955	323	175	15,370	11,575	49,155	1,032,852	201,960
1956	335	169	16,862	9,802	50,407	1,010,404	205,801
1957	343	163	20,924	9,760	52,544	1,041,273	207,063
1958	350	160	18,981	9,253	52,477	1,049,039	221,453

* Excludes part-time staff.

No. 14. Private Hospitals, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Hospitals.						Number of Beds.					
	Medical, Surgical and Maternity.	Medical and Surgical.	Maternity.	Total.			Medical, Surgical and Maternity.	Medical and Surgical.	Maternity.	Total.		
				Metropolis.	Other Districts.	N.S.W.				Metropolis.	Other Districts.	N.S.W.
1948	145	72	86	144	159	303	2,034	1,295	482	2,658	1,153	3,811
1949	109	78	75	139	123	262	1,666	1,400	422	2,579	909	3,488
1950	91	78	60	125	104	229	1,461	1,434	339	2,445	789	3,234
1951	86	64	46	107	89	196	1,379	1,266	256	2,243	658	2,901
1952	78	60	42	100	80	180	1,174	1,286	253	2,089	624	2,713
1953	71	63	38	95	77	172	1,104	1,308	213	2,028	597	2,625
1954	71	68	32	94	77	171	1,056	1,405	173	2,081	553	2,634
955	*	*	*	108	80	188	*	*	*	2,346	599	2,945
1956	*	*	*	106	69	175	*	*	*	2,372	530	2,902
1957	*	*	*	111	69	180	*	*	*	2,598	579	3,177
1958	*	*	*	120	64	184	*	*	*	2,871	594	3,465

* Not available.

No. 15. Private Hospitals: Type, Size, and Number of Beds, 1956 to 1958

Particulars.	1956	1957	1958		
			Metropolis.	Other Districts.	Total.
Type of Hospital					
Lying-in	24	22	7	11	18
Medical and Post-operative	23	39	49	8	57
Medical	4	5	3	2	5
Psychiatric	1	2	3	...	3
Medical and Lying-in	3	4	1	2	3
Medical, Post-operative, and Lying-in	1	4	1	10	11
Medical and Surgical	62	51	37	9	46
Medical, Surgical, and Lying-in	57	53	19	22	41
Total Hospitals	175	180	120	64	184
Size of Hospital					
10 or fewer Beds	83	80	32	42	74
11 to 20 Beds	59	60	45	17	62
Over 20 Beds	33	40	43	5	48
Total Hospitals	175	180	120	64	184
Number of Beds					
Lying-in	136	135	27	77	104
Medical and Post-operative	440	524	974	115	1,089
Medical	23	96	65	28	93
Psychiatric	1	34	57	...	57
Medical and Lying-in	13	25	8	9	17
Medical, Post-operative, and Lying-in	9	34	10	72	82
Medical and Surgical	1,329	1,364	1,021	126	1,147
Medical, Surgical, and Lying-in	951	965	709	167	876
Total Beds	2,902	3,177	2,871	594	3,465

No. 16. Medical Practitioners, Dentists, Pharmacists, etc., on Register, 1948 to 1958

End of Year.	Medical Practitioners.*	Physio-therapists. †	Dentists.	Optometrists.	Pharmacists.	Dealers in Poison, other than Pharmacists.	Drug Dealers.	
							Manufacturers.	Distributors.
1948	4,691	461	1,479	538	2,058	340	28	95
1949	4,678	481	1,509	534	2,090	327	26	97
1950	4,865	547	1,701	559	2,245	327	29	105
1951	5,130	607	1,806	559	2,354	307	32	115
1952	5,494	642	1,845	559	2,571	318	32	120
1953	5,695	675	1,896	556	2,702	331	37	122
1954	4,601*	703	1,931	546	2,812	273	38	132
1955	4,837	733	1,931	538	2,949	252	42	134
1956	4,984	752	1,949	531	3,116	241	38	132
1957	5,203	788	1,931	521	3,293	232	41	135
1958	5,423	853	1,929	518	3,464	245	36	124

* In 1954, annual registration fees were introduced and medical practitioners no longer practising in New South Wales were removed from the Register.

† Registered under Physiotherapists Registration Act, 1945.

No. 17. New Registrations of Nurses in New South Wales, 1947 to 1958

(As recorded by the Nurses Registration Board)

Year.	General.	Midwifery.	Mental.	Infants.	Year.	General.	Midwifery.	Mental.	Infants.
1947	1,053	611	58	2	1953	1,349	833	58	3
1948	1,116	618	57	11	1954	1,404	773	63	11
1949	1,140	633	39	5	1955	1,520	677	62	3
1950	1,184	696	57	6	1956	1,744	627	62	1
1951	1,212	617	77	6	1957	1,736	696	55	6
1952	1,353	696	60	6	1958	1,849	820	70	10

NOTE. Nurses are registered under Nurses' Registration Act, 1953, in the four classes shown above. Many are registered under more than one classification.

No. 18. Child Welfare Department: Expenditure*, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Maintenance of—		Head Office—Administration.		State Institutions.		Total Expenditure.
	Children of Invalids, Deserted Wives, etc.	Children Boarded Out.	Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Salaries and Wages.	Other.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1948	163,337	45,605	88,224	26,513	118,585	95,966	538,230
1949	160,774	51,566	101,164	30,706	146,432	117,927	608,569
1950	154,366	51,438	117,749	34,485	157,724	131,013	646,775
1951	127,556	51,068	136,789	37,548	181,667	141,919	676,547
1952	122,722	58,758	172,540	43,621	243,698	169,282	810,621
1953	131,322	68,308	191,966	49,242	269,374	195,656	905,868
1954	134,712	69,512	198,694	50,090	282,077	194,064	929,149
1955	166,026	74,037	208,912	57,197	320,366	206,079	1,032,617
1956	173,311	80,495	247,124	59,977	348,630	211,950	1,121,487
1957	165,272	115,463	263,591	74,640	374,874	235,848	1,229,688
1958	161,654	155,949	309,952	90,712	403,470	246,512	1,368,249

* Excludes certain items of expenditure, such as rates, from the votes of other Departments.

No. 19. Child Welfare Department: Revenue, 1946–47 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Maintenance of Children under Child Welfare Act	Sales of Farm Produce, etc.	Total.	Year ended 30th June.	Maintenance of Children under Child Welfare Act	Sales of Farm Produce, etc.	Total.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
1947	29,106	6,353	35,459	1953	50,065	17,435	67,500
1948	36,218	8,355	44,573	1954	52,254	19,247	71,501
1949	42,878	9,334	52,212	1955	61,159	22,148	83,307
1950	49,473	10,272	59,745	1956	60,049	18,848	78,897
1951	46,863	11,520	58,383	1957	56,890	20,289	77,179
1952	55,106	15,104	70,210	1958	70,312	29,461	99,773

No. 20. Child Welfare Department: Children Under Supervision, 1953 to 1958

Classification.	At 30th June.					
	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957	1958
Maintained or subsidised by the State—						
Delinquents in shelters and industrial schools ...	686	718	768	932	1,115	1,018
State wards in depots, homes and hostels ...	630	650	673	676	706	774
State wards boarded out with foster parents ...	1,395	1,463	1,633	1,887	2,059	2,377
Children living with own parents †...	5,437	5,511	5,756	5,960	6,363	6,726
Total maintained or subsidised by the State ...	8,148	8,342	8,830	9,455	10,243	10,895
Not maintained or subsidised by the State—						
State wards—						
Placed with guardians ...	428	427	324	332	336	266
Employed under special agreement ...	78	92	44	42	37	42
Restored to custody of own parents ...	...	...	...	83	84	94
Children under 7 years (not State wards)—						
In licensed private establishments	1,032	1,053	1,245	1,107	1,052	1 026
In licensed private homes	177	173	190	204	251	275
On probation from children's courts	3,072	2,448	2,643	3,057‡	3,592	3,862
Aftercare—Ex-institution inmates	521	544	463	526	659	697
Total not maintained or subsidised by the State	5,308	4,737	4,909	5,351‡	6,011	6,262
Total Children under supervision...	13,456	13,079	13,739	14,806‡	16,254	17,157

* Not available.
† Children in respect of whom parents receive allowances under Section 27 of the Child Welfare Act. See Table 21.
‡ Revised.

No. 21. Child Welfare Department: Parents in Receipt of Allowances for Children, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Number of Recipients at end of year, according to Grounds of Eligibility.									No. of Children.	Expenditure
	Husbands Incapacitated.		Deserted Wives.	Widows Ineligible for Pension.	Husbands in Gaol.	Unmarried Mothers.	Divorced Women.	Others.	Total.		
	Invalid Pensioner.	Others.									£
1948	1,065	313	864	77	111	386	83	33	2,932	7,329	163,337
1949	983	304	866	74	126	329	83	41	2,806	7,225	160,774
1950	851	258	855	87	101	289	89	40	2,570	6,591	154,366
1951	527	236	815	95	90	257	94	38	2,152	5,647	127,556
1952	593	209	766	72	116	230	85	33	2,104	5,251	122,722
1953	576	213	801	87	155	234	100	30	2,196	5,437	131,322
1954	533	266	782	85	147	230	95	25	2,163	5,511	134,712
1955	513	308	821	102	121	206	114	23	2,208	5,756	166,026
1956	502	212	814	106	136	215	102	127	2,214	5,960	173,311
1957	487	187	886	114	178	240	107	113	2,312	6,363	165,272
1958	524	328	708	193	175	249	84	210	2,471	6,726	161,654

No. 22. Child Welfare Department: State Wards, 1948 to 1958

These particulars relate to State wards in depots, homes, and hostels adopted or placed, apprenticed, or boarded-out other than with own mothers.

Year ended 30th June.	Children received.	Discharges and Deaths.	State Wards at 30th June.											
			Supported by Government.			Adopted without Remuneration and Boarded without Subsidy.			Apprenticed (Not paid for by Government).			Total.		
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
1948	489	447	1,210	1,028	2,238	155	175	330	50	56	106	1,415	1,259	2,674
1949	438	412	1,184	1,029	2,213	187	201	388	39	60	99	1,410	1,290	2,700
1950	390	486	1,140	971	2,111	174	223	397	46	50	96	1,360	1,244	2,604
1951	423	421	1,139	984	2,123	179	208	387	56	40	96	1,374	1,232	2,606
1952	351	393	1,106	968	2,074	190	223	413	45	33	78	1,341	1,224	2,565
1953	327	361	1,093	932	2,025	201	227	428	40	38	78	1,334	1,197	2,531
1954	461	360	1,156	957	2,113	208	219	427	44	48	92	1,408	1,224	2,632
1955	507	465	1,262	1,044	2,306	158	166	324	31	13	44	1,451	1,223	2,674
1956	658	312	1,414	1,232	2,646	179	153	332	32	10	42	1,625	1,395	3,020
1957	681	479	1,513	1,336	2,849	173	163	336	25	12	37	1,711	1,511	3,222
1958	792	461	1,726	1,519	3,245	144	122	266	25	17	42	1,895	1,658	3,553

No. 23. Child Welfare Department: Sex, Age, Legal Status, etc., of Children Adopted, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Sex.		Age.		Legal Status.			Relationship of Adopting Parents.			Total Children Adopted.
	Boys.	Girls.	Under one year.	One year and over.	Nuptial.	Ex-Nuptial.	Foundling.	Natural Parent.	Other Relative.	Not Related.	
1948	687	604	504	787	379	912	...	575	91	625	1,291
1949	820	805	742	883	506	1,119	...	606	119	900	1,625
1950	697	677	663	711	*	*	*	473	97	804	1,374
1951	551	538	465	624	*	*	*	470	63	556	1,089
1952	640	559	594	605	*	*	*	451	48	700	1,199
1953	709	581	690	600	*	*	*	424	51	815	1,290
1954	704	737	541	900†	*	*	*	698	104	639	1,441
1955	555	530	542	543†	*	*	*	401	60	624	1,085
1956	514	498	470	542†	*	*	*	365	69	578	1,012
1957	507	465	548	424†	*	*	*	280	41	651	972
1958	725	681	525	881†	*	*	*	636	87	683	1,406

* Not available.
† Includes children in the following age groups:—

	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 6 years.	6 to 9 years.	9 to 12 years.	12 to 15 years.	Over 15 years.
1953–54	79	105	243	178	95	60	140
1954–55	62	75	131	118	57	37	63
1955–56	60	46	156	105	75	46	54
1956–57	53	40	99	75	60	50	47
1957–58	110	108	230	136	134	94	69

NOTE. The Child Welfare Department arranges the permanent adoption of children upon order of the Supreme Court.

No. 24. Child Welfare Department: Religion, etc., of Adopting Family Units, 1947-48 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Religion of Parents.				With Children.	Without Children.	Total.
	Protestant.	Roman Catholic.	Mixed.	Others.			
1948	748	208	193	25	480	694	1,174
1949	843	291	223	36	501	892	1,393
1950	754	233	203	21	448	763	1,211
1951	607	202	182	5	433	563	996
1952	661	255	148	12	477	599	1,076
1953	705	262	204	5	575	601	1,176
1954	712	290	262	6	653	617	1,270
1955	573	217	178	11	480	499	979
1956	511	205	168	16	482	418	900
1957	491	241	148	6	464	422	886
1958	688	286	221	15	684	526	1,210

NOTE. In some cases, more than one child is adopted by the same adopting parents; the number of family units is therefore less than the number of children adopted.

No. 25. Child Welfare Department: Ages and Income of Adopting Parents, 1950-51 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Mean Age of Adopting Parents (Years).					Income of Adopting Parents.					Total Adopting Family Units.
	Under 20.	20–30.	30–40.	40–50.	50 and over.	Under £250.	£250–£500.	£501–£750.	£751–£1,000	Over £1,000.	
1951	2	272	527	143	52	21	448	384	77	66	996
1952	3	287	603	143	40	11	184	618	158	105	1,076
1953	5	234	699	190	48	15	54	761	190	156	1,176
1954	6	292	674	231	67	13	45	816	210	186	1,270
1955	3	228	514	195	39	6	15	331	357	270	979
1956	...	191	514	161	34	9	19	333	275	264	900
1957	1	185	523	158	19	...	8	192	352	334	886
1958	2	260	658	232	58	9	19	203	502	477	1,210

No. 26. Child Welfare Department: Children Licensed for Employment in Places of Entertainment or in Street Trading, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Children Licensed to give Performances.					Boys Licensed during Year to engage in Street Trading.		
	At Beginning of Year.	During Year.	At End of Year.					
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Aged 14 to 15 Years.	Aged 15 to 16 Years.	Total.
1948	164	812	61	115	176	343	90	433
1949	176	681	5	6	11	260	66	326
1950	11	621	5	15	20	170	32	202
1951	20	269	8	18	26	221	54	275
1952	26	387	14	18	32	297	78	375
1953	32	386	4	2	6	450	78	528
1954	6	405	9	9	18	523	108	631
1955	18	358	3	2	5	456	86	542
1956	5	460	2	2	4	460	78	538
1957	2	283	...	...	...	410	89	499
1958	...	304	...	...	...	277	75	352

No. 27. Child Welfare Department: Ages of Children Licensed for Employment in Places of Entertainment, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Children Licensed during Year—Age in Years.									
	7 to 8.	8 to 9.	9 to 10.	10 to 11.	11 to 12.	12 to 13.	13 to 14.	14 to 15.	15 to 16.	Total.
1948	27	46	91	113	118	152	113	91	61	812
1949	34	52	57	100	120	101	99	69	49	681
1950	55	71	65	68	91	91	97	65	18	621
1951	18	22	26	43	39	35	45	29	12	269
1952	30	45	41	59	61	50	45	40	16	387
1953	20	32	45	49	67	61	47	40	25	386
1954	33	45	43	63	70	56	42	30	23	405
1955	24	32	34	45	59	60	46	42	16	358
1956	24	21	61	60	81	97	53	47	16	460
1957	12	18	25	41	36	44	49	40	18	283
1958	11	17	26	31	44	44	58	49	24	304
1958—										
Boys	1	3	3	4	8	7	14	11	5	56
Girls	10	14	23	27	36	37	44	38	19	248

No. 28. State Mental Hospitals, Reception Houses, etc.: Receipts and Expenditure, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Receipts.					Expenditure (from Revenue).		
	Maintenance Collections from Estates of Relatives and Patients.	Sale of Farm Produce, Old Stores, etc.	From Commonwealth.		Total.	Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.
			Hospital Benefits.	Mental Institution Benefits.*				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1948	176,737	25,539	14,290	...	216,566	853,272	603,705	1,456,977
1949	205,535	28,252	28,196	...	261,983	942,974	765,904	1,708,878
1950	174,581	33,671	29,359	97,035	334,646	1,060,100	933,884	1,993,984
1951	114,211	43,355	29,953	198,165	385,684	1,325,637	1,011,623	2,337,260
1952	125,329	56,533	31,318	203,505	416,685	1,657,148	1,383,781	3,040,929
1953	209,007	58,245	33,078	208,888	509,218	1,830,099	1,602,472	3,432,571
1954	210,702	55,617	33,181	209,772	509,272	1,936,789	1,675,202	3,611,991
1955	220,388	46,751	30,171	106,524	403,834	2,056,966	1,705,251	3,762,217
1956	231,940	56,877	28,716	...	317,533	2,320,442	1,878,958	4,199,400
1957	323,492	62,177	26,908	...	412,577	2,568,382	1,998,844	4,567,226
1958	391,872	52,767	25,885	...	470,524	2,670,620	2,080,317	4,750,937

* These benefits terminated on 30th September, 1954, and were replaced by a subsidy plan in respect of approved capital expenditure on mental hospitals.

No. 29. Mental Hospitals: Beds, Staff, and Patients, 1948 to 1958

NOTE. Tables 29 to 34 relate to the State mental hospitals (excluding reception houses) and licensed private institutions. There were 12 State hospitals and two private institutions at 30th June, 1958.

The statistics of "patients" relate to persons certified as insane, and include both resident patients and patients on leave from the institutions. They exclude voluntary patients (except as shown in Table 32) and a few patients from this State in South Australian hospitals.

At 30th June.	Hospitals.	Beds.	Medical Staff*.			Nursing Staff and Attendants*.			Patients on Register.
			Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
1948	12	12,080	34	8	42	912	956	1,868	11,836
1949	12	12,001	36	9	45	936	965	1,901	11,823
1950	12	11,854	39	7	46	945	972	1,917	12,023
1951	12	12,013	37	8	45	951	958	1,909	12,505
1952	13	12,189	58	8	66	959	966	1,925	12,873
1953	13	12,471	58	8	66	967	956	1,923	12,979
1954	13	12,398	36	9	45	984	985	1,969	13,169
1955	14	12,589	30	6	36	994	1,012	2,006	13,422
1956	14	12,652	37	9	46	998	1,018	2,016	13,767
1957	14	12,627	45	12	57	1,034	1,071	2,105	13,741
1958	14	12,700	55	10	65	1,038	1,122	2,160	13,761

* State mental hospitals only.

No. 30. Mental Hospitals: Admissions, etc., of Patients*, 1947-48 to 1957-1958

Year ended 30th June.	On Register at beginning of Year.	Admissions.		Total under Care during year.	Discharges, etc.	Deaths.	On Register at end of Year.					
							Number.			Per 1,000 of Population.		
		For First Time.	Re-Admissions.				Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1948	11,834	1,451	250	13,535	821	878	5,823	6,013	11,836	3·86	3·99	3·93
1949	11,836	1,456	202	13,494	844	827	5,836	5,987	11,823	3·77	3·88	3·82
1950	11,823	1,649	221	13,693	872	798	5,898	6,125	12,023	3·68	3·85	3·76
1951	12,023	1,992	235	14,250	951	794	6,138	6,367	12,505	3·72	3·91	3·81
1952	12,505	2,013	295	14,813	1,035	905	6,300	6,573	12,873	3·74	3·97	3·85
1953	12,873	2,006	245	15,124	1,141	1,004	6,334	6,645	12,979	3·72	3·95	3·84
1954	12,979	1,889	289	15,157	1,070	918	6,402	6,767	13,169	3·72	3·97	3·85
1955	13,169	1,978	314	15,461	1,109	930	6,533	6,889	13,422	3·73	3·97	3·85
1956	13,422	2,105	353	15,880	1,191	922	6,712	7,055	13,767	3·76	3·99	3·87
1957	13,767	1,930	300	15,997	1,278	978	6,694	7,047	13,741	3·71	3·95	3·83
1958	13,741	1,884	366	15,991	1,284	946	6,722	7,039	13,761	3·66	3·86	3·76

* See note above Table 29.

No. 31. Mental Hospitals: Discharges and Deaths of Patients*, 1947-48 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.			Escaped.			Deaths.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1948	225	345	570	96	104	200	22	23	45	6	...	6	433	445	878	782	917	1,699
1949	248	350	598	97	84	181	23	23	46	15	4	19	416	411	827	799	872	1,671
1950	265	342	607	104	107	211	15	16	31	20	3	23	400	398	798	804	866	1,670
1951	293	341	634	119	130	249	22	28	50	14	4	18	396	398	794	844	901	1,745
1952	301	365	666	146	149	295	33	23	56	17	1	18	447	458	905	944	996	1,940
1953	279	373	652	190	180	370	34	54	88	24	7	31	502	502	1,004	1,029	1,116	2,145
1954	304	388	692	119	154	273	43	41	84	17	4	21	421	497	918	904	1,084	1,988
1955	299	395	694	122	173	295	52	50	102	16	2	18	448	482	930	937	1,102	2,039
1956	300	441	741	156	173	329	43	43	86	25	10	35	456	466	922	980	1,133	2,113
1957	312	505	817	189	200	389	28	23	51	21	...	21	481	497	978	1,031	1,225	2,256
1958	300	434	734	192	261	453	36	38	74	21	2	23	430	516	946	979	1,251	2,230

* See note above Table 29.

No. 32. Mental Hospitals: Average Number of Patients* Resident and Proportion Recovered, etc., 1947-48 to 1957-58

Year Ended 30th June.	Average Number Resident during the Year, excluding Patients on Leave.			Proportion per cent. of Recoveries to Average Number Resident.			Proportion per cent. of Patients Relieved to Average Number Resident.			Proportion per cent. of Deaths to Average Number Resident.			Average Daily Number of Voluntary Patients.†
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
1948	5,337	5,314	10,651	4·21	6·50	5·35	1·80	1·96	1·88	8·11	8·37	8·24	394
1949	5,277	5,300	10,577	4·70	6·60	5·65	1·84	1·58	1·71	7·88	7·76	7·83	399
1950	5,351	5,361	10,712	4·95	6·38	5·67	1·94	2·00	1·97	7·48	7·42	7·45	436
1951	5,509	5,531	11,040	5·31	6·17	5·74	2·20	2·36	2·27	7·19	7·20	7·19	467
1952	5,585	5,650	11,235	5·39	6·46	5·93	2·61	2·64	2.63	8·00	8·11	8·06	429
1953	5,744	5,753	11,497	4·86	6·48	5·67	3·31	3·13	3·22	8·74	8·73	8·73	433
1954	5,448	6,160	11,608	5·54	6·31	5·95	2·18	2·49	2·35	7·74	8·06	7·89	376
1955	5,479	6,287	11,766	5·45	6·28	5·85	2·22	2·75	2·50	8·17	7·66	7·90	472
1956	5,874	5,931	11,805	5·10	7·44	6·28	2·49	2·92	2·79	7·79	7·86	7·81	471
1957	5,873	5,898	11,771	5·31	8·56	6·94	3·22	3·39	3·31	8·19	8·43	8·31	493
1958	5,861	5,832	11,693	5·10	7·40	6·30	3·30	4·50	3·90	7·36	8·85	8·09	599

* See note above Table 29.
† Voluntary patients are not included elsewhere in this table .

No. 33. Mental Hospitals: Ages of Patients*, 1947-48 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Patients Under Care During Year—Age in Years.													
	0–4.	5–9.	10–14.	15–19.	20–29.	30–39.	40–49.	50–59.	60–69.	70–79.	80–89.	90 and over.	Not stated.	Total.
1948	66	186	276	553	1,537	2,259	2,752	2,832	2,027	1,054	281	24	4	13,851
1949	46	181	308	584	1,541	2,236	2,829	2,830	2,034	1,024	235	19	3	13,870
1950	68	205	271	551	1,538	2,253	2,771	2,791	2,031	1,081	306	31	3	13,900
1951	96	220	260	494	1,320	2,192	2,758	2,720	2,571	1,350	416	44	4	14,445
1952	89	261	286	514	1,384	2,251	2,799	2,788	2,671	1,443	455	53	4	14,998
1953	88	239	262	458	1,538	2,304	2,834	2,826	2,776	1,577	502	56	...	15,460
1954	106	279	257	420	1,583	2,326	2,885	2,783	2,667	1,608	511	66	...	15,491
1955	114	258	224	415	1,608	2,531	2,916	2,821	2,628	1,644	498	61	...	15,718
1956	88	234	282	422	1,733	2,577	2,918	2,906	2,713	1,634	531	65	3	16,106
1957	64	221	267	442	1,703	2,573	2,954	2,913	2,785	1,694	560	77	3	16,256
1958	28	192	313	509	1,693	2,581	3,006	2,929	2,802	1,716	550	75	1	16,395

* Patients transferred from one hospital to another have been counted at both hospitals. See also note above Table 29.

No. 34. Mental Hospitals: Ages of Patients*, 1957-58

Age in Years.	Admissions and Re-admissions.			Discharges.						Deaths.			Patients under Care during Year.		
				Recovered.			Relieved, Not Improved, and Escaped.								
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
0– 4	2	6	8	...	...	...	1	3	4	2	2	4	12	16	28
5– 9	12	15	27	...	...	...	6	2	8	4	4	8	102	90	192
10–14	20	15	35	...	...	...	3	4	7	2	2	4	197	116	313
15–19	41	38	79	5	6	11	5	5	10	2	3	5	325	184	509
20–29	158	118	276	62	41	103	65	35	100	7	5	12	996	697	1,693
30–39	208	228	436	80	98	178	69	79	148	16	12	28	1,408	1,173	2,581
40–49	160	242	402	62	115	177	31	63	94	31	24	55	1,479	1,527	3,006
50–59	131	161	292	39	87	126	33	36	69	53	45	98	1,392	1,537	2,929
60–69	128	165	293	39	62	101	12	47	59	111	122	233	1,219	1,583	2,802
70–79	109	169	278	12	24	36	22	17	39	133	171	304	638	1,078	1,716
80–89	33	79	112	1	1	2	2	8	10	62	108	170	166	384	550
90 and over	5	7	12	...	...	...	...	2	2	7	18	25	27	48	75
Not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total	1,007	1,243	2,250	300	434	734	249	301	550	430	516	946	7,961	8,434	16,395

* See note above Table 29.

No. 35. State Hospitals and Homes* : Expenditure, 1949–50 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Maintenance Expenditure.						Capital Expenditure.
	Salaries.	Provisions.	Drugs, Dressings, etc.	Maintenance of Plant and Buildings.	Other.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1950	324,827	157,467	26,961	63,639	112,454	685,348	66,247
1951	415,896	191,521	29,132	45,374	128,921	810,844	113,391
1952	523,397	262,380	34,550	47,834	175,906	1,044,067	185,204
1953	626,801	296,743	35,055	78,851	171,301	1,208,751	264,812
1954	677,914	298,477	41,142	125,595	171,237	1,314,365	298,507
1955	726,140	295,117	42,667	213,438	156,642	1,434,004	249,609
1956	780,666	303,733	50,534	118,206	158,950	1,412,089	170,390
1957	834,141	309,518	54,944	128,384	192,495	1,519,482	234,485
1958	854,673	248,624	51,932	125,643	182,289	1,463,161	167,284

* Institutions listed in Table 36.

No. 36. State Hospitals and Homes : Expenditure, 1957–58

Institution.	Maintenance Expenditure.						Capital Expenditure.
	Salaries.	Provisions.	Drugs, Dressings, etc.	Maintenance of Plant and Buildings.	Other.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Lidcombe State Hospital and Home	334,305	106,625	19,569	26,184	81,169	567,852	146,009
Liverpool State Hospital and Home	131,670	31,370	16,942	4,777	19,710	204,469	...
Newington State Hospital and Home	100,673	34,666	2,771	66,247	21,932	226,289	2,560
Waterfall Sanatorium	80,889	28,984	1,583	7,296	21,211	139,963	8,493
Randwick Auxiliary Hospital ...	173,748	34,990	9,922	16,781	28,838	264,279	10,222
Strickland Convalescent Hospital	13,366	9,093	78	3,232	6,700	32,469	...
David Berry Hospital	20,022	2,896	1,067	1,126	2,729	27,840	...
Total	854,673	248,624	51,932	125,643	182,289	1,463,161	167,284

No. 37. Inmates* in State Hospitals and Homes, 1947 to 1957

Year.	Number Admitted.			Inmates during Year.		Number Discharged.		Number of Deaths.		Inmates at end of Year.			Average Daily Number Resident.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
1947	5,856	1,054	6,910	7,862	1,650	4,939	1,005	986	114	1,937	531	2,468	2,579
1948	5,820	1,117	6,937	7,757	1,648	4,638	1,038	1,015	102	2,104	508	2,612	2,551
1949	6,261	1,240	7,501	8,365	1,748	5,244	1,041	948	129	2,173	578	2,751	2,791
1950	5,867	1,047	6,914	8,040	1,625	4,905	930	970	112	2,165	583	2,748	2,711
1951	6,493	1,263	7,756	8,658	1,846	5,482	1,169	999	104	2,177	573	2,750	2,683
1952	5,744	1,333	7,077	7,921	1,906	4,732	1,230	1,002	103	2,187	573	2,760	2,736
1953	7,421	1,239	8,660	9,722	1,817	6,432	1,159	883	94	2,407	564	2,971	3,022
1954	7,460	1,107	8,567	9,867	1,671	6,609	1,061	1,010	81	2,248	529	2,777	2,968
1955	7,089	925	8,014	9,337	1,454	6,160	925	977	74	2,200	455	2,655	2,729
1956	7,099	968	8,067	9,299	1,423	6,141	915	1,033	77	2,125	431	2,556	2,722
1957	6,589	956	7,545	8,714	1,387	5,696	912	907	62	2,111	413	2,524	2,603

* Excludes inmate workers in years 1945 to 1952.

No. 38. Inmates in State Hospitals and Homes, 1957

Institution.	Inmates on 31st December, 1956.		Number Admitted.		Inmates during Year.		Number Discharged.		Number of Deaths.		Inmates on 31st December, 1957.			Average Daily Number Resident
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
Lidcombe State Hospital and Home	1,295	...	2,853	...	4,148	...	2,287	...	470	...	1,391	...	1,391	1,374
Liverpool State Hospital and Home	335	...	2,251	...	2,586	...	1,897	...	379	...	310	...	310	343
Newington State Hospital and Home	70	313	321	178	391	491	317	110	3	47	71	334	405	393
Waterfall Sanatorium ...	217	30	337	9	554	39	411	25	6	...	137	14	151	194
Randwick Auxiliary Hospital	163	45	233	68	396	113	188	71	45	9	163	33	196	214
Strickland Convalescent Hospital	40	37	395	485	435	522	397	499	...	...	38	23	61	72
David Berry Hospital ...	5	6	199	216	204	222	199	207	4	6	1	9	10	13
Total	2,125	431	6,589	956	8,714	1,387	5,696	912	907	62	2,111	413	2,524	2,603

No. 39. State Social Welfare Service* : Beneficiaries and Expenditure, 1946–47 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Beneficiaries at end of Year.				Expenditure during Year.	Year ended 30th June.	Beneficiaries at end of Year.				Expenditure during Year.
	Recipients.	Dependants.	Track Travellers.	Total Persons.			Recipients.	Dependants.	Track Travellers.	Total Persons.	
					£						£
1947	2,946	2,231	65	5,242	217,353	1953	1,565	1,095	165	2,825	135,701
1948	2,474	1,637	85	4,196	187,291	1954	1,380	1,217	147	2,744	116,304
1949	2,135	1,349	97	3,581	165,116	1955	1,259	1,475	89	2,823	111,620
1950	1,775	1,088	51	2,914	144,744	1956	†	†	†	2,713	117,475
1951	1,334	555	24	1,913	117,980	1957	†	†	†	1,558	141,507
1952	1,626	655	32	2,313	111,424	1958	†	†	†	1,853	151,591

* Cash benefit and other relief provided by the State Government for necessitous persons, other than those receiving age, invalid, or widows' pensions, or unemployment or sickness benefit, etc. † Not available.

No. 40. Commonwealth Maternity Allowances in N.S.W.*, 1948-49 to 1958-59

Year ended 30th June.	Amount of Allowance (varied with size of family). †	Confinements (approximate).	Claims passed for Payment.	
			Number.	Amount.
	£	No.		£
1949	15 to 17½	68,200	67,534	1,070,126
1950	15 to 17½	72,500	73,566	1,155,379
1951	15 to 17½	73,200	72,003	1,149,164
1952	15 to 17½	74,500	72,688	1,182,358
1953	15 to 17½	76,200	74,011	1,195,046
1954	15 to 17½	75,300	72,380	1,173,058
1955	15 to 17½	74,700	77,401	1,262,819
1956	15 to 17½	76,400‡	76,552	1,222,596
1957	15 to 17½	78,500‡	78,454	1,268,967
1958	15 to 17½	81,400	80,357	1,299,412
1959	15 to 17½	82,600	81,565	1,285,755

* Including Australian Capital Territory. † For plural births, £5 is added for each additional child born. ‡ Revised.

No. 41. Commonwealth Child Endowment in N.S.W.*, 1948–49 to 1958–59

At 30th June.	Family Units					Approved Institutions.			Endowment Paid during Year ended 30th June
	Claims.	Endowed Children.	Annual Liability.	Average per claim. Endowed Children.	Average per claim. Annual Liability.	Institutions.	Endowed Children.	Annual Liability.	
	No.	No.	£	No.	£ s. d.	No.	No.	£	£
1949	247,027	426,991	11,101,766	1·729	44 18 10	115	5,466	142,116	9,313,460
1950	263,959†	463,112†	12,040,912†	1·754†	45 12 4†	115	5,892	153,192	11,610,670
1951‡	458,829	930,697	18,233,345	2·028	39 14 9	111	6,392	166,192	16,872,169
1952‡	476,684	971,586	19,064,344	2·038	39 19 11	112	6,904	179,504	17,793,919
1953‡	491,848	1,005,887	19,759,038	2·045	40 3 6	112	6,743	175,318	20,012,263
1954‡	501,272	1,031,898	20,312,812	2·059	40 10 6	115	8,425	219,050	19,137,687
1955‡	499,072	1,034,865	20,418,554	2·074	40 18 3	117	6,438	167,388	19,591,156
1956	511,359	1,060,544	20,926,477	2·074	40 18 6	117	5,650	146,900	22,209,602
1957	524,239	1,092,858	21,599,201	2·085	41 4 0	119	5,606	145,756	20,975,500
1958	537,374	1,124,122	22,241,310	2·092	41 7 9	123	5,973	155,298	21,466,863
1959	549,822	1,155,786	22,902,750	2·102	41 13 1	123	5,930	154,180	24,610,073

* Including Australian Capital Territory.
† Excluding particulars of the first child under age 16 years in the family; endowment for such children was payable from 20th June, 1950.
‡ The apparent decline in the number of claims in force in 1955 is accounted for by the fact that figures for the years 1951 to 1954 are now known to have been slightly overstated. It has not been possible to prepare revised statistics for these years.

NOTE. From 9th November, 1948, the rate was 10s. a week for each child under 16 years of age (except one) in the family and for each child under 16 years of age in approved institutions. From 20th June, 1950, endowment at the rate of 5s. a week was payable for the first child under 16 years of age in the family.

No. 42. Commonwealth Child Endowment in New South Wales * : Size of Family Units, 30th June, 1957 to 1959

Number of Children under age 16 Years in Family Unit.	Number of Family Units receiving Endowment.			Number of Endowed Children.		
	1957	1958	1959	1957	1958	1959
1	198,212	203,397	207,515	198,212	203,397	207,515
2	177,505	179,967	182,638	355,010	359,934	365,276
3	89,881	92,718	95,486	269,643	278,154	286,458
4	36,925	38,258	39,791	147,700	153,032	159,164
5	12,982	13,886	14,665	64,910	69,430	73,325
6	5,515	5,728	6,086	33,090	34,368	36,516
7	2,025	2,187	2,280	14,175	15,309	15,960
8	795	792	883	6,360	6,336	7,064
9	286	310	327	2,574	2,790	2,943
10 and over	113	131	151	1,184	1,372	1,565
Total	524,239	537,374	549,822	1,092,858	1,124,122	1,155,786

* Including Australian Capital Territory

No. 43. Commonwealth Widows' Pensions in N.S.W.*, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Pensions Current at 30th June.									Amount Paid During Year.
	Class A			Class B		Classes C and D	Total, All Widows' Pensions			
	No.	Average Rate Per Week.		No.	Average Rate Per Week	No.	No.	Average Rate Per Week.	Annual Liability.	
		s.	d.		s.	d.			s. d.	£	£
1949	7,751	45	8	9,537	35	3	114	17,402	39 11	1,805,469	1,761,978
1950	7,573	45	4	9,395	35	0	111	17,079	39 7	1,758,136	1,773,422
1951	7,651	52	3	9,194	39	8	130	16,975	45 5	2,001,817	1,971,798
1952	7,533	61	11	8,844	47	5	109	16,486	54 1	2,316,442	2,315,179
1953	7,815	69	5	8,863	52	1	134	16,812	60 2	2,628,789	2,630,192
1954	7,844	73	6	8,667	55	7	164	16,675	64 0	2,774,416	2,766,555
1955	8,109	74	4	8,761	56	3	196	17,066	64 10	2,877,608	2,826,624
1956	8,297	84	3	8,911	66	0	219	17,427	74 8	3,383,946	3,171,885
1957	8,660	92	7	9,534	65	9	273	18,467	78 4	3,759,776	3,656,303
1658	8,149	100	6	10,397	73	4	126	18,672	85 2	4,135,638	3,920,282
1959	8,670	101	0	10,817	73	8	131	19,618	85 9	4,375,332	4,297,736

* Including Australian Capital Territory.

NOTES:—

1. The classes of pensioners and the maximum rates in October, 1958 are:—
   Class A. Widows with one or more dependent children less than age 16 years and with property not exceeding £2,250: 92s. 6d. per week, plus an additional 10s. a week for each child, in excess of one, under 16 years.
   Class B. Widows with no dependent children and over age 50 years (45 years if they ceased to be a Class A widow because they no longer have a dependent child) and with property not exceeding £2,250: 75s. per week.
   Class C. Widow under age 50 years, with no dependent child, if in necessitous circumstances may receive an allowance of 75s. per week for six months after death of husband.
   Class D. Wives whose husband has been imprisoned for at least six months, who are over age 50 years or have one or more dependent children, and whose property does not exceed £2,250: 75s. per week.

   In all cases, the rate of pension is reduced if income (as assessed) exceeds the allowable limit. From October, 1958, widow pensioners who pay rent and are considered to be entirely dependent on their pension may also receive supplementary assistance of 10s. per week.
2. The State of New South Wales supplements the pensions by allowances for children. At 30th June, 1959, 1,519 widows were receiving allowances, and the amount paid in 1958–59 was £70,302.

No. 44. Commonwealth Age and Invalid Pension Rates, 1948 to 1958

Month of Change	Maximum Basic Rate of Pension				Supplementary Assistance per Week *	Maximum Additional Amounts Payable Weekly to Pensioners who are Invalids				Limit of Income (other than pension) per Annum	Limit of Property
	Per Annum		Per Week			Wife	First Child †		Each other Child †		
	£	s.	s.	d.	s.	s.	s.	d.	s.	£	£
1948 : October	110	10	42	6	...	20	5	0	...	78	750
1949 : June	110	10	42	6	...	24	9	0	...	78	750
1950 : November	130	0	50	0	...	24	9	0	...	78	750
1951 : October	156	0	60	0	...	30	11	6	...	78	1,000
1952 : September	175	10	67	6	...	35	11	6	...	78	1,000
1953 : October	182	0	70	0	...	35	11	6	...	104	1,250
1954 : October	182	0	70	0	...	35	11	6	...	182	1,750
1955 : October	208	0	80	0	...	35	11	6	...	182	1,750
1956 : October	208	0	80	0	...	35	11	6	10	182	1,750
1957 : October	227	10	87	6	...	35	11	6	10	182	1,750
1958 : October	227	10	87	6	10	35	11	6	10	182	2,250

* Available to single pensioners and to married couples when only one is a pensioner and the other is not receiving a wife's allowance. Only those who pay rent and are considered to be entirely dependent on their pension are eligible for the assistance.
† Dependent child under age 16 years.

No. 45. Commonwealth Age and Invalid Pensions in New South Wales*: Pensioners and Payments, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Pensioners at 30th June.				Payments during Year.		
	Age.	Invalid.	Inmates of Benevolent Asylums.	Total.	To Pensioners. †	To Benevolent Asylums and Hospitals for Maintenance of Pensioners.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1949	131,941	35,521	1,559	169,021	17,441,988	47,118	17,489,106
1950	138,121	34,604	1,130	173,855	18,704,476	31,307	18,735,783
1951	141,658	32,709	1,341	175,708	20,804,811	51,172	20,855,983
1952	145,057	32,396	1,250	178,703	25,018,706	56,509	25,075,215
1953	154,936	33,546	1,618	190,100	30,474,434	58,302	30,532,736
1954	164,706	35,611	1,498	201,815	33,952,757	89,339	34,042,096
1955	174,308	38,226	876	213,410	36,873,625	80,164	36,953,789
1956	181,120	40,588	892	222,600	42,465,216	49,964	42,515,180
1957	186,233	42,649	‡	228,882	45,318,132	100,370	45,418,502
1958	206,511	28,885	‡	235,396	50,401,775	97,803	50,499,578
1959	212,315	32,435	‡	246,750	53,725,243	90,753	53,815,996

* Including Australian Capital Territory.
† Includes payments for wives and children of pensioners who are invalids. Funeral benefits are not included (see Table 47).
‡ Included in "Age" or "Invalid".

No. 46. Commonwealth Age and Invalid Pensions in N.S.W.* : Sex of Pensioners and Recipients of Allowances, 1949 to 1959

At 30th June	Sex of Pensioners †						Recipients of Allowance for—	
	Age Pensioners			Invalid Pensioners			Wife	First Child
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total		
1949	48,194	83,747	131,941	19,426	16,095	35,521	5,593	3,189
1950	49,624	88,497	138,121	19,068	15,536	34,604	5,691	3,281
1951	50,289	91,369	141,658	18,321	14,388	32,709	5,507	3,229
1952	50,876	94,181	145,057	17,986	14,410	32,396	5,188	3,189
1953	54,521	100,415	154,936	18,652	14,894	33,546	5,142	3,328
1954	62,230	102,476	164,706	21,215	14,396	35,611	5,633	3,495
1955	64,465	109,843	174,308	22,580	15,646	38,226	5,718	3,652
1956	65,562	115,558	181,120	23,792	16,796	40,588	5,847	3,960
1957	67,225	119,008	186,233	25,401	17,248	42,649	5,979	4,260
1958	65,384	141,127	206,511	15,157	13,728	28,885	4,892	3,681
1959	67,212	145,103	212,315	17,087	15,348	32,435	5,152	4,023

* Including Australian Capital Territory.
† From 1949 to 1956, excludes pensioners in benevolent asylums.

No. 47. Commonwealth Age and Invalid Pensions in N.S.W.* : Funeral Benefits†, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June	Claims Granted	Payments	Year ended 30th June	Claims Granted	Payments
		£			£
1949	10,781	109,711	1955	13,128	128,256
1950	10,100	95,690	1956	13,179	131,330
1951	10,139	104,113	1957	13,955	136,524
1952	11,367	107,678	1958	12,928	129,129
1953	11,405	112,369	1959	14,150	140,988
1954	11,397	113,919			

* Including Australian Capital Territory.
† The maximum benefit payable is £10.

No. 48. Commonwealth Service Pensions* in New South Wales†, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Pensions Current at 30th June.								Amount Paid during Year.
	Number.					Average Rate per Week.			
	Members of Forces.			Dependants.	Total Service Pensions.	Members of Forces.	Dependants.	All Service Pensions.	
	Age.	Permanently Unemployable.	Sufferers from Pulmonary Tuberculosis.						
						s. d	s. d.	s. d.	£
1949	2,796	1,283	112	1,185	5,376	38 2	21 1	34 6	441,541
1950	2,877	1,305	121	1,173	5,476	37 8	21 2	34 0	477,845
1951	2,889	1,282	121	1,253	5,545	43 2	20 0	37 11	516,268
1952	2,973	1,348	127	1,433	5,881	50 7	22 3	43 7	609,432
1953	3,424	1,507	99	1,712	6,742	56 11	23 11	48 7	764,803
1954	3,863	1,604	164	1,846	7,477	61 3	25 4	52 4	977,814
1955	4,177	1,683	191	1,982	8,033	63 5	26 9	54 5	1,050,594
1956	4,644	3,005	528	3,961	12,138	65 4	26 6	52 8	1,472,949
1957	5,175	3,429	558	4,415	13,577	64 7	26 4	52 2	1,727,099
1958	5,827	3,624	548	4,511	14,510	69 11	24 11	55 11	1,899,624
1959	6,363	3,716	479	4,434	14,992	68 11	23 5	55 5	2,233,721

* Service pensions are payable to members of the Forces :—
(i) on reaching the age of 60 years for men and 55 years for women;
(ii) permanently unemployable; and
(iii) suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis.
With the exception of (iii), male members must have served in a theatre of war and females must have served abroad. Service pensions are subject to a means test.
† Including Australian Capital Territory.

No. 49. Commonwealth War Pensions in New South Wales*, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Pensions Current at 30th June.								Amount Paid during Year.
	Number.				Average Rate per Week.				
	Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependants of Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependants of Deceased Members of Forces.	All War Pensions.	Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependants of Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependants of Deceased Members of Forces.	All War Pensions.	
					s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£
1949	62,552	84,808	16,881	164,241	23 4	5 10	42 6	16 4	6,713,900
1950	64,998	91,558	17,133	173,689	24 8	6 0	43 0	16 8	7,392,793
1951	65,157	97,882	17,109	180,148	22 7	7 9	52 7	21 0	9,395,694
1952	66,436	102,350	16,943	185,729	35 10	7 9	54 2	22 0	10,887,742
1953	66,787	105,848	16,806	189,441	39 7	9 1	56 8	24 0	11,510,681
1954	67,366	109,757	16,900	194,023	42 6	9 2	60 0	25 2	12,224,553
1955	67,975	113,282	16,902	198,159	45 4	9 2	66 11	26 6	14,100,305
1956	68,403	116,313	16,995	201,711	48 9	9 3	74 6	28 2	14,501,426
1957	69,080	119,287	16,957	205,324	49 6	9 4	75 9	28 4	15,297,734
1958	69,609	122,405	17,197	209,211	54 5	9 4	82 0	30 4	16,824,229
1959	70,314	125,366	17,429	213,109	56 0	9 4	83 5	30 10	16,813,419

* Including Australian Capital Territory.

No. 50. Commonwealth War Pensions in New South Wales* at 30th June, 1959

Particulars.	Number of Pensions Current.				Average Rate per Week.			
	Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependants of Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependants of Deceased Members of Forces.	All War Pensions.	Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependants of Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependants of Deceased Members of Forces.	All War Pensions.
					s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1914 War	17,208	16,295	7,517	41,020	92 0	19 3	95 4	63 9
1939 War	51,154	107,963	9,808	168,925	44 4	7 11	74 7	22 10
1939 War—Women's Services	1,319	21	4	1,344	45 8	10 10	77 2	45 2
Korea and Malaya	632	1,087	97	1,816	38 1	7 10	50 5	20 8
Far Eastern Strategic Reserve	1	...	3	4	10 3	...	47 6	38 2
Total War Pensions ...	70,314	125,366	17,429	213,109	56 0	9 4	83 5	30 10

* Including Australian Capital Territory.

No. 51. Commonwealth Unemployment, Sickness, and Special Benefits in New South Wales*, 1953-54 to 1958-59

Year ended 30th June.	Claims Admitted.			Persons Receiving Benefit at end of Year.			Amount of Benefits Paid. £
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
Unemployment							
1954	18,854	4,599	23,453	1,876	934	2,810	1,247,215
1955	5,152	2,475	7,627	569	473	1,042	254,558
1956	8,126	2,591	10,717	1,592	733	2,325	216,400
1957	23,217	5,683	28,900	4,719	1,523	6,242	672,431
1958	41,010	9,491	50,501	8,706	2,997	11,703	1,732,137
1959	43,605	12,210	55,815	8,563	3,529	12,092	2,429,242
Sickness							
1954	16,972	5,671	22,643	2,374	946	3,320	697,949
1955	17,512	5,804	23,316	2,412	954	3,366	676,148
1956	16,945	5,516	22,461	2,307	807	3,114	644,464
1957	15,720	5,189	20,909	2,144	764	2,908	643,269
1958	16,171	5,325	21,496	2,463	880	3,343	797,567
1959	17,226	6,132	23,358	2,585	996	3,581	927,534
Special†							
1954	889	481	1,370	274	493	767	132,797
1955	783	481	1,264	182	565	747	126,650
1956	815	430	1,245	198	485	683	125,394
1957	930	456	1,386	221	451	672	116,925
1958	785	571	1,356	260	509	769	162,621
1959	757	623	1,380	218	517	735	142,597
All Benefits							
1954	36,715	10,751	47,466	4,524	2,373	6,897	2,077,961
1955	23,447	8,760	32,207	3,163	1,992	5,155	1,057,356
1956	25,886	8,537	34,423	4,097	2,025	6,122	986,258
1957	39,867	11,328	51,195	7,084	2,738	9,822	1,432,625
1958	57,966	15,387	73,353	11,429	4,386	15,815	2,692,325
1959	61,588	18,965	80,553	11,366	5,042	16,408	3,499,373

* Including Australian Capital Territory.
† Payments to immigrants in training for employment are included in "Benefits Paid". All other particulars exclude these immigrants.

No. 52. Commonwealth Unemployment, Sickness, and Special Benefits in N.S.W.*: Number in Receipt of Benefit, July, 1957 to September, 1959

Last Saturday of Month.	Unemployment.			Sickness.			Special.†			All Benefits.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1957: July	5,675	1,658	7,333	2,071	776	2,847	220	453	673	7,966	2,887	10,853
August	6,217	1,681	7,898	2,199	808	3,007	245	460	705	8,661	2,949	11,610
September	5,533	1,663	7,196	2,208	792	3,000	251	458	709	7,992	2,913	10,905
October	4,903	1,560	6,463	2,240	792	3,032	240	478	718	7,383	2,830	10,213
November	5,353	1,676	7,029	2,358	821	3,179	213	485	698	7,924	2,982	10,906
December	7,209	1,746	8,955	2,081	786	2,867	243	465	708	9,533	2,997	12,530
1958: January	7,947	1,925	9,872	2,020	758	2,778	226	462	688	10,193	3,145	13,338
February	7,475	2,145	9,620	2,302	859	3,161	234	461	695	10,011	3,465	13,476
March	6,619	2,102	8,721	2,266	835	3,101	256	476	732	9,141	3,413	12,554
April	7,200	2,368	9,568	2,237	834	3,071	259	487	746	9,696	3,689	13,385
May	7,753	2,749	10,502	2,501	879	3,380	282	505	787	10,536	4,133	14,669
June	8,706	2,997	11,703	2,463	880	3,343	260	509	769	11,429	4,386	15,815
July	8,949	3,149	12,098	2,363	884	3,247	247	471	718	11,559	4,504	16,063
August	8,294	3,056	11,350	2,689	994	3,683	239	506	745	11,222	4,556	15,778
September	7,718	2,908	10,626	2,638	942	3,580	195	513	708	10,551	4,363	14,914
October	7,549	2,753	10,302	2,750	992	3,742	177	504	681	10,476	4,249	14,725
November	6,940	2,919	9,859	2,750	979	3,729	184	513	697	9,874	4,411	14,285
December	8,849	3,032	11,881	2,474	916	3,390	174	515	689	11,497	4,463	15,960
1959: January	9,579	3,268	12,847	2,420	923	3,343	187	492	679	12,186	4,683	16,869
February	8,819	3,251	12,070	2,439	929	3,368	235	515	750	11,493	4,695	16,188
March	8,691	3,290	11,981	2,390	876	3,266	199	495	694	11,280	4,661	15,941
April	8,884	3,385	12,269	2,534	989	3,523	230	519	749	11,648	4,893	16,541
May	8,608	3,550	12,158	2,622	1,009	3,631	241	521	762	11,471	5,080	16,551
June	8,563	3,529	12,092	2,585	996	3,581	218	517	735	11,366	5,042	16,408
July	8,833	3,736	12,569	2,812	1,019	3,831	212	515	727	11,857	5,270	17,127
August	7,638	3,289	10,927	2,816	1,021	3,837	190	501	691	10,644	4,811	15,455
September	6,323	2,939	9,262	2,863	536	3,399	215	527	742	9,401	4,002	13,403

* Including Australian Capital Territory.
† Excluding immigrants in training.

No. 53. Aborigines Welfare Board: Stations and Reserves, Expenditure, etc., 1948–49 to 1958–59

At 30th June.	Aboriginal Stations (In charge of Resident Manager).			Aboriginal Reserves (Supervised by Local Police).			Exemption Certificates granted during Year ended 30th June. †	Expenditure during Year ended 30th June.‡	
	Stations.	Resident Aboriginals.	Aboriginals receiving Rations. *	Reserves.	Resident Aboriginals.	Aboriginals receiving Rations. *		Revenue.	Loan (New Buildings, etc.).
								£	£
1949	18	2,388	271	32	2,585	92	47	80,273	126,816
1950	19	2,703	302	32	2,102	105	68	77,146	75,130
1951	19	2,680	270	32	2,267	81	71	97,637	85,497
1952	20	2,726	286	31	2,475	77	49	130,459	104,890
1953	18	2,946	303	31	2,155	81	56	147,237	36,747
1954	18	2,968	426	31	1,820	102	50	165,524	29,008
1955	16	2,919	317	30	1,961	116	99	173,548	44,055
1956	16	2,860	318	27	1,928	66	110	174,967	13,640
1957	16	2,878	379	29	1,880	64	137	181,585	4,772
1958	16	2,935	388	29	2,066	181	117	205,028	18,484
1959	16	2,889	344	29	2,549	132	128	204,576	2,677

* Included in "resident aboriginals", food rations are issued to aged, infirm and indigent aboriginals on Stations and Reserves.
† Issued under the Aborigines Protection Act, as amended in 1943, to exempt persons of aboriginal blood from the provisions of the Act and to confer on them full citizenship status.
‡ Excluding expenditure by the Department of Education on the education of aboriginal children in native schools.

No. 54. Cremations in New South Wales, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Cremations.			Deaths.			Proportion of Cremations to Deaths.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
							per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
1948	4,665	3,608	8,273	17,085	13,318	30,403	27·3	27·1	27·2
1949	4,923	3,668	8,591	16,703	12,661	29,364	29·5	29·0	29·3
1950	5,122	4,048	9,170	17,565	13,400	30,965	29·2	30·2	29·6
1951	5,514	4,301	9,815	18,092	13,840	31,932	30·5	31·1	30·7
1952	5,738	4,427	10,165	18,194	13,844	32,038	31·5	31·9	31·7
1953	5,870	4,686	10,556	17,871	13,836	31,707	32·8	33·9	33·3
1954	6,182	4,780	10,962	18,256	14,188	32,444	33·9	33·7	33·8
1955	6,327	4,801	11,128	18,670	13,883	32,553	33·9	34·6	34·2
1956	7,029	5,329	12,358	19,166	14,898	34,064	36·7	35·8	36·3
1957	6,864	5,325	12,189	18,734	14,583	33,317	36·6	36·5	36·6
1958	6,810	5,380	12,190	18,279	14,071	32,350	37·3	38·2	37·7

NOTE. There are six crematoria in N.S.W.: four in Sydney, one in Newcastle, and one in Orange.

No. 55. New South Wales State Lotteries, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year	Lotteries* Filled during year.				Subscriptions.	Prizes Allotted.	Excess of Subscriptions over Prizes.	Administrative Expenses.
	Ordinary.	Special.	Mammoth or Jackpot.	Opera House				
					£	£	£	£
1949	195	19	...	...	6,312,500	4,024,555	2,287,945	135,981
1950	216	21	...	...	6,990,000	4,456,505	2,533,495	151,882
1951	237	27	...	...	7,867,500	5,015,255	2,852,245	194,819
1952	252	38	...	...	8,830,000	5,627,205	3,202,795	266,307
1953	272	57	...	...	10,330,000	6,580,500	3,749,500	317,128
1954	265	66	...	...	10,587,500	6,742,990	3,844,510	373,958
1955	256	66	9	...	11,240,000	7,162,810	4,077,190	398,596
1956	261	74	9	...	11,777,500	7,504,180	4,273,320	413,161
1957	251	79	19	...	12,752,500	8,161,590	4,590,910	435,997
1958	242	83	19	3	14,205,000	9,122,210	5,082,790	469,525
1959	229	86	20	2	13,597,500	8,725,150	4,872,350	546,865

* Each lottery comprises 100,000 tickets. The price of a ticket is 5s. 6d. in ordinary lotteries, 10s. in Special lotteries, £1 in mammoth or jackpot lotteries, and £5 in the Opera House lotteries.

No. 56. Totalisator Investments and Bookmakers' Turnover, 1947–48 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Totalisator Investments.	Licensed Bookmakers' Turnover (Approximate).	Year ended 30th June.	Totalisator Investments.	Licensed Bookmakers' Turnover (Approximate).	Year ended 30th June.	Totalisator Investments.	Licensed Bookmakers' Turnover (Approximate).
	£	£		£	£		£	£
1948	8,543,920	65,739,200	1952	16,343,841	115,484,600	1956	13,644,841	113,224,800
1949	8,742,535	68,183,000	1953	14,189,928	110,080,000	1957	13,213,104	113,169,600
1950	9,701,635	74,664,000	1954	14,201,809	114,401,900	1958	13,830,598	113,147,200
1951	11,550,451	82,073,200	1955	13,100,536	112,875,700	1959	14,340,214	100,201,200

No. 57. Board of Fire Commissioners of N.S.W.: Revenue and Expenditure, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Revenue.					Expenditure.				
	Subsidies.			Other.	Total.	Administration.	Firemen, inc. Volunteers.		Maintenance, etc.	Total.
	State Gov't.	Local Gov't.	Insurance Companies. *				Salaries.	Superannuation.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1948	204,248	204,248	408,496	17,878	834,870	23,235	626,210	45,921	207,453	902,819
1949	226,205	226,205	452,410	24,790	929,610	28,832	703,131	64,019	234,287	1,030,269
1950	134,401	134,401	806,406	21,409	1,096,617	31,729	729,042	65,815	261,020	1,087,606
1951	157,311	157,311	943,866	20,643	1,279,131	34,667	870,447	83,180	311,803	1,300,097
1952	200,654	200,654	1,203,924	19,063	1,624,295	47,242	1,047,136	107,848	427,262	1,629,488
1953	230,009	230,009	1,380,054	24,576	1,864,648	62,705	1,086,487	113,640	437,759	1,700,591
1954	231,253	231,253	1,387,521	23,379	1,873,406	59,855	1,106,730	120,887	521,519	1,808,991
1955	228,099	228,099	1,368,594	25,807	1,850,599	52,006	1,172,181	137,884	527,925	1,889,996
1956	294,253	294,253	1,765,518	17,764	2,371,788	69,540	1,496,414	132,573	651,735	2,350,262
1957	301,130	301,130	1,806,780	16,755	2,425,795	71,256	1,759,066	158,661	619,267	2,608,250
1958	344,745	344,745	2,068,470	15,162	2,773,122	73,367	1,881,659	178,246	628,950	2,762,222

* In 1950 the proportion of the Board's estimated expenditure payable by the insurance companies was increased from one-half to three-quarters.

No. 58. Fire Brigades of N.S.W.: Fire Stations and Staff, 1948 to 1958

At 31st Dec.	Fire Stations.			Staff — Authorised Strength.								
				Permanent.			Volunteer.			Reserve.		
	Sydney.	Other Districts.	Total, N.S.W.	Sydney.	Other Districts.	Total.	Sydney.	Other Districts.	Total.	Sydney.	Other Districts.	Total.
1948	57	175	232	993	130	1,123	289	1,678	1,967	678	1,140	1,818
1949	53	181	234	1,021	102	1,123	299	1,710	2,009	748	1,135	1,883
1950	53	185	238	1,014	101	1,115	321	1,718	2,039	778	1,146	1,924
1951	53	188	241	1,014	101	1,115	321	1,783	2,104	778	1,133	1,911
1952	54	190	244	1,007	108	1,115	338	1,841	2,179	*	*	*
1953	55	191	246	1,010	105	1,115	283	1,920	2,203	*	*	*
1954	55	193	248	1,016	101	1,117	349	1,890	2,239	*	*	*
1955	54	196	250	1,121	107	1,228	350	1,994	2,344	*	*	*
1956	54	197	251	1,198	122	1,320	355	2,155	2,510	*	*	*
1957	54	199	253	1,283	126	1,409	355	2,217	2,572	*	*	*
1958	54	200	254	1,311	160	1,471	359	2,273	2,632	*	*	*

* Abolished in 1952.

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No. 59. Fire Brigades of N.S.W. : Fires and False Alarms, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Sydney Fire District.								Other Districts—Fires and False Alarms.
	Fires in Buildings.	Ship Fires.	Bush, Grass and Rubbish Fires.	Motor Vehicle Fires.	Chimney Fires.	Other Fires.	Total Fires.	False Alarms.	
1948	1,709	22	3,564	354	102	473	6,224	2,236	3,327
1949	1,863	24	1,532	443	128	459	4,449	2,216	2,491
1950	1,859	22	1,988	480	52	224	4,625	2,372	2,429
1951	2,307	28	5,580	569	77	343	8,904	2,611	5,849
1952	1,966	18	3,409	544	103	584	6,624	3,166	4,661
1953	1,876	28	4,492	548	89	427	7,460	2,931	5,055
1954	2,140	29	3,383	590	70	336	6,548	3,044	3,859
1955	2,184	10	3,181	662	56	363	6,456	3,556	4,469
1956	2,299	26	5,560	604	75	684	9,248	4,268	6,444
1957	2,657	32	8,056	638	67	707	12,157	5,026	10,331
1958	2,475	18	4,801	616	50	452	8,412	4,253	5,873*

* Comprising 5,056 fires and 817 false alarms.

No. 60. Fire Brigades of N.S.W. : Classification of Fires in Sydney Fire District, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Slight.			Severe.			Total Destruction.			Chimney Fires.	Total Fires.
	Insured.	Not Insured.	Total.	Insured.	Not Insured.	Total.	Insured.	Not Insured.	Total.		
1948	1,721	4,369	6,090	6	1	7	19	6	25	102	6,224
1949	2,000	2,298	4,298	2	1	3	12	8	20	128	4,449
1950	2,012	2,530	4,542	8	1	9	12	10	22	52	4,625
1951	2,371	6,317	8,688	94	4	98	27	14	41	77	8,904
1952	2,114	4,254	6,368	107	11	118	22	13	35	103	6,624
1953	2,055	5,165	7,220	94	15	109	30	12	42	89	7,460
1954	2,271	4,067	6,338	97	6	103	29	8	37	70	6,548
1955	2,327	3,961	6,288	81	6	87	25	...	25	56	6,456
1956	2,648	6,323	8,971	130	14	144	50	8	58	75	9,248
1957	2,802	9,081	11,883	124	21	145	48	14	62	67	12,157
1958	2,603	5,571	8,174	120	14	134	43	11	54	50	8,412

No. 61. Fire Brigades of N.S.W. : Origin of Fires in Sydney Fire District, 1948 to 1958

Origin of Fire.	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.	1952.	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.
Backfire	80	115	126	119	115	110	138	141	103	211	93
Boiling over of fats, oils, etc.	77	91	88	83	108	104	120	120	112	99	123
Burning rubbish	188	139	182	311	232	297	267	240	249	251	700
Electricity	611	703	716	826	970	689	756	836	770	910	905
Fireworks	4	4	6	17	14	17	10	8	25	24	38
Flues	141	166	84	107	132	131	99	128	150	130	109
Gas	17	41	25	34	42	33	40	24	33	59	61
Incendiarism	1	1	3	8	4	3	2	1	...	3	3
Light thrown down	3,954	1,867	2,149	5,632	3,484	4,625	3,537	3,377	5,878	8,333	4,140
Matches	23	33	31	43	46	51	51	66	58	64	43
Overheating	161	197	214	254	191	173	280	263	299	302	255
Smoking tobacco	152	165	165	237	216	210	237	245	239	286	326
Sparks	120	123	118	229	179	160	129	111	163	482	293
Spontaneous combustion ...	26	36	42	34	29	21	27	34	31	41	25
Vapour of spirits igniting ...	91	118	117	153	117	101	123	141	124	151	156
Other causes	233	320	267	395	337	297	296	249	407	264	710
Cause unknown...	345	330	292	422	408	438	436	472	607	547	432
Total Fires ...	6,224	4,449	4,625	8,904	6,624	7,460	6,548	6,456	9,248	12,157	8,412

SECTION III. LAW AND CRIME

No. 1. Barristers, Solicitors, Justices of the Peace, etc., 1948 to 1958

December.	Barristers in Practice.			Solicitors in Practice.			Certificated Conveyancers.	Justices of the Peace.		
	Queen's Counsel.	Other.	Total.	Sydney.	Other Districts.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Persons.
1948	34	290	324	1,124	631	1,755	25	53,575	3,588	57,163
1949	37	303	340	1,149	669	1,818	24	56,717	3,741	60,458
1950	39	296	335	1,199	687	1,886	24	59,107	3,899	63,006
1951	43	302	345	1,248	734	1,982	19	61,708	3,977	65,685
1952	44	298	342	1,295	777	2,072	20	63,947	4,079	68,026
1953	44	301	345	1,342	822	2,164	17	66,833	4,353	71,186
1954	45	304	349	1,363	863	2,226	17	69,724	4,623	74,347
1955	49	308	357	1,386	881	2,267	15	72,662	4,914	77,576
1956	53	318	371	1,409	900	2,309	12	75,462	5,215	80,677
1957	50	346	396	1,448	978	2,426	14	78,717	5,538	84,255
1958	50	372	422	1,497	1,014	2,511	12	82,058	5,957	88,015

No. 2. Supreme Court: Common Law Jurisdiction, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Causes Tried.					Causes Not Proceeded With, etc.	Total Causes Disposed of.	Writs Issued.	Judgments Signed.
	Verdict for Plaintiff.	Verdict for Defendant.	Jury Disagreed.	Non-suit.	Total.				
1948	281	51	1	4	337	101	438	3,661	1,393
1949	605	74	1	4	684	260	944	4,030	1,548
1950	210	39	1	1	251	395	646	4,384	1,778
1951	149	25	1	3	178	374	552	5,298	1,897
1952	196	28	...	4	228	516	744	8,140	3,282
1953	242	47	1	3	293	886	1,179	7,462	3,276
1954	266	62	2	5	335	1,055	1,390	8,694	4,051
1955	260	50	...	2	312	1,038	1,350	10,946	4,527
1956	443	64	...	4	511	1,776	2,287	14,464	6,323
1957	314	61	...	3	378	1,326	1,704	16,728	7,954
1958	402	58	1	7	468	1,477	1,945	14,096	6,362

No. 3. Supreme Court: Equity Jurisdiction, 1947–48 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Decrees.	Orders on Motions and Petitions.	Chamber Orders.	Year ended 30th June.	Decrees.	Orders on Motions and Petitions.	Chamber Orders.
1948	51	1,843	208	1954	85	2,146	267
1949	38	1,914	200	1955	84	1,997	225
1950	73	1,875	212	1956	85	1,769	292
1951	69	1,918	234	1957	93	1,938	282
1952	66	1,942	206	1958	74	2,383	309
1953	97	2,090	242	1959	60	2,480	303

No. 4. Supreme Court: Probate Jurisdiction, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Number of Estates which were Granted—			Value of Estates on which were Granted—		
	Probates.	Letters of Administration.	Total.	Probates.	Letters of Administration.	Total.
				£	£	£
1948	9,789	2,917	12,706	54,482,363	4,821,922	59,304,285
1949	9,039	3,128	12,167	46,131,232	4,525,495	50,656,727
1950	9,612	2,908	12,520	50,001,014	3,676,691	53,677,705
1951	9,817	3,267	13,084	52,626,070	5,531,254	58,157,324
1952	10,902	3,619	14,521	72,115,136	6,576,176	78,691,312
1953	9,003	4,837	13,840	70,945,834	6,035,338	76,981,172
1954	10,513	3,548	14,061	82,765,220	8,633,513	91,398,733
1955	10,665	3,087	13,752	80,829,296	6,229,172	87,058,468
1956	11,492	3,564	15,056	99,218,270	7,762,198	106,980,468
1957	11,559	3,683	15,242	96,356,953	9,609,986	105,966,939
1958	12,003	3,320	15,323	103,255,211	11,442,901	114,698,112

No. 5. Divorces and Matrimonial Causes : Petitions Lodged, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Petitions Lodged.*					Sex of Petitioner.			
	Divorce. †	Nullity of Marriage.	Judicial Separation.	Restitution of Conjugal Rights.	Total.	Divorce.†		Restitution of Conjugal Rights.	
						Husband.	Wife.	Husband.	Wife.
1948	3,819	40	19	867	4,745	1,787	2,032	610	257
1949	3,815	39	22	716	4,592	1,695	2,120	473	243
1950	3,879	39	21	796	4,735	1,704	2,175	508	288
1951	4,044	31	29	772	4,876	1,710	2,334	520	252
1952	4,225	43	30	714	5,012	1,777	2,448	491	223
1953	4,230	49	35	699	5,013	1,821	2,409	490	209
1954	4,039	30	31	713	4,813	1,753	2,286	492	221
1955	4,092	36	27	683	4,838	1,729	2,363	492	191
1956	3,943	37	29	675	4,684	1,679	2,264	448‡	227
1957	3,824	51	17	573	4,465	1,667	2,157	391	182
1958	4,102	40	22	596	4,760	1,810	2,292	436	160

* Including petitions *fee suspended* or *in forma pauperis*. In the years 1955 to 1958, these were:—

	Divorce	Nullity of Marriage	Judicial Separation	Restitution of Conjugal Rights	Total
1955	432	1	1	15	449
1956	406	4	3	10	423
1957	442	4	...	15	457
1958	453	2	1	10	466

† Including some who had previously petitioned for restitution of conjugal rights.

‡ Includes one petition for rescission of decree for restitution of conjugal rights.

No. 6. Divorces and Matrimonial Causes : Decrees Granted, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Divorce.		Nullity of Marriage.		Judicial Separation.	Restitution of Conjugal Rights.
	Decree Nisi.	Decrees Made Absolute.	Decree Nisi.	Decrees Made Absolute.		
1948	3,352	3,277	28	23	8	754
1949	2,835	2,631	23	24	5	512
1950	3,319	3,419	30	31	6	523
1951	2,861	3,303	23	25	4	468
1952	3,855	3,335	27	27	7	608
1953	3,782	3,725	27	21	6	516
1954	2,860	2,816	30	28	7	444
1955	2,987	2,874	15	17	6	424
1956	3,331	3,125	29	18	9	443
1957	2,664	2,975	21	32	4	357
1958	3,052	3,217	19	18	5	403

No. 7. Divorce Decrees Made Absolute : Grounds of Decree, 1951 to 1958

Year.	Desertion for 3 Years or more.	Desertion—Non-compliance with Order for Restitution of Conjugal Rights.	Adultery.	Habitual Drunkenness with Cruelty or Neglect.	Repeated Assaults and Cruel Beatings.	Imprisonment of Husband for 3 Years or more.	Other Grounds.	Total.
Husband as Petitioner								
1951	751	351	341	8	...	...	...	1,451
1952	719	302	400	5	2	...	...	1,428
1953	790	355	431	5	2	...	...	1,583
1954	606	234	356	5	1	...	...	1,202
1955	606	247	376	18	2	...	1	1,250
1956	637	268	416	9	...	...	...	1,330
1957	591	257	432	13	3	...	...	1,296
1958	698	237	465	14	3	...	...	1,417
Wife as Petitioner								
1951	1,171	184	311	111	59	15	1	1,852
1952	1,145	196	344	136	70	15	1	1,907
1953	1,296	214	352	146	117	16	1	2,142
1954	923	138	291	139	113	10	...	1,614
1955	932	117	298	149	112	15	1	1,624
1956	1,063	137	297	146	133	17	2	1,795
1957	967	137	333	130	101	6	5	1,679
1958	1,052	138	336	158	107	9	...	1,800
All Petitioners								
1951	1,922	535	652	119	59	15	1	3,303
1952	1,864	498	744	141	72	15	1	3,335
1953	2,086	569	783	151	119	16	1	3,725
1954	1,529	372	647	144	114	10	...	2,816
1955	1,538	364	674	167	114	15	2	2,874
1956	1,700	405	713	155	133	17	2	3,125
1957	1,558	394	765	143	104	6	5	2,975
1958	1,750	375	801	172	110	9	...	3,217

No. 8. Nullity of Marriage and Judicial Separation: Grounds of Decree, 1953 to 1958

Grounds of Decree.	Husband as Petitioner.						Wife as Petitioner.					
	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.
Nullity of Marriage Made Absolute												
Bigamy	7	1	2	3	8	3	5	10	8	8	10	5
Impotency	2	8	2	3	4	4	6	8	4	4	9	4
Other Grounds	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	1	1
Total	9	9	4	6	12	8	12	19	13	12	20	10
Judicial Separations Granted												
Adultery	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	3	4	2	1	1
Other Grounds	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	4	2	5	4
Total	...	...	1	...	...	...	6	7	8	4	6	5

No. 9. Divorce Decrees Made Absolute, 1958: Duration of Marriage and Issue

Duration of Marriage.*	Number of Children.										Total Divorces	Total Children.
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9 and over		
Years.												
1 and under 2	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	2
2 ,, ,, 3	21	4	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	27	11
3 ,, ,, 4	53	15	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	20
4 ,, ,, 5	96	29	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	131	41
5 ,, ,, 6	105	54	15	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	175	89
6 ,, ,, 7	108	90	18	7	...	2	...	...	...	...	225	157
7 ,, ,, 8	96	78	35	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	216	172
8 ,, ,, 9	96	73	46	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	222	188
9 ,, ,, 10	87	78	47	14	1	...	...	...	...	...	227	218
10 ,, ,, 15	243	235	188	100	27	10	2	...	...	...	805	1,081
15 ,, ,, 20	125	147	140	73	23	9	1	...	1	...	519	797
20 ,, ,, 25	44	62	93	51	26	11	3	3	...	...	293	599
25 ,, ,, 30	18	35	43	23	20	9	10	3	3	...	164	420
30 ,, ,, 40	10	14	39	24	16	5	3	3	...	2	116	311
40 and over	...	2	6	2	4	4	1	1	...	...	20	69
Total Divorces	1,108	916	678	305	123	51	20	10	4	2	3,217	...
Total Children	...	916	1,356	915	492	255	120	70	32	19	...	4,175

* This represents the period from date of marriage to date on which the "*decree nisi*" was made absolute.

No. 10. Divorce Decrees Made Absolute, 1958: Ages of Husband and Wife at Time of Marriage

Age of Husband at Marriage.	Age of Wife at Marriage.						Total Husbands.
	Under 21 years.	21–24 years.	25–29 years.	30–34 years.	35 years and over.	Not Stated.	
Under 21 years	324	68	8	1	1	...	402
21–24 years	671	566	61	11	5	1	1,315
25–29 years	220	367	174	52	12	...	825
30–34 years	56	83	97	40	20	...	296
35 years and over	17	36	61	75	118	...	307
Not Stated	3	...	...	...	...	69	72
Total Wives	1,291	1,120	401	179	156	70	3,217

No. 11. Divorce Decrees Made Absolute, 1958: Ages of Husband and Wife at Time of Divorce

Age of Husband at Divorce.	Age of Wife at Divorce.								Total Husbands.
	Under 25 years.	25—29 years.	30—34 years.	35—39 years.	40—44 years.	45—54 years.	55 years and over.	Not Stated.	
Under 25 years	37	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	45
25–29 years	142	273	39	7	4	1	...	...	466
30–34 years	38	303	343	48	2	2	1	1	738
35–39 years	8	72	249	227	59	10	2	...	627
40–44 years	3	11	51	183	155	37	1	...	441
45–54 years	...	6	28	77	180	298	15	...	604
55 years and over	...	1	3	6	23	84	107	...	224
Not stated	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	69	72
Total Wives	228	673	715	548	423	433	127	70	3,217

No. 12. Divorce Decrees Made Absolute: Ages of Husband and Wife at Time of Marriage, 1953 to 1958

Year.	Age of Husband at Marriage.					Age of Wife at Marriage.					Total Divorces. *
	Under 21 years.	21–24 years.	25–29 years.	30–34 years.	35 years and over.	Under 21 years.	21–24 years.	25–29 years.	30–34 years.	35 years and over.	
Number											
1953	460	1,544	985	387	323	1,542	1,300	516	202	139	3,725
1954	350	1,185	738	268	253	1,123	1,001	407	148	115	2,816
1955	342	1,200	726	305	264	1,176	982	406	145	129	2,874
1956	426	1,328	768	289	292	1,290	1,081	424	166	143	3,125
1957	363	1,143	815	286	299	1,155	992	418	188	154	2,975
1958	402	1,315	825	296	307	1,291	1,120	401	179	156	3,217
Proportion Per Cent. of Total											
1953	12	42	27	10	9	41	35	15	5	4	100
1954	13	42	26	10	9	40	36	15	5	4	100
1955	12	42	25	11	9	41	34	14	5	5	100
1956	14	42	25	9	9	41	34	14	5	5	100
1957	12	39	27	10	10	39	34	14	6	5	100
1958	12	41	26	9	10	40	35	12	6	5	100

* Includes a number of cases in which the ages of the parties were not stated.

No. 13. Divorce Decrees Made Absolute: Ages of Husband and Wife at Time of Divorce, 1953 to 1958

Year.	Age of Husband at Divorce.					Age of Wife at Divorce.					Total Divorces. *
	Under 25 years.	25–29 years.	30–34 years.	35–39 years.	40 years and over.	Under 25 years.	25–29 years.	30–34 years.	35–39 years.	40 years and over.	
Number											
1953	73	577	762	748	1,539	282	761	848	722	1,086	3,725
1954	71	462	593	517	1,151	237	623	609	486	839	2,816
1955	57	428	607	512	1,233	231	606	589	500	912	2,874
1956	54	481	729	539	1,300	220	693	682	562	946	3,125
1957	57	407	601	575	1,266	208	586	638	536	939	2,975
1958	42	466	738	627	1,269	228	673	715	548	983	3,217
Proportion Per Cent. of Total											
1953	2	16	21	20	41	8	21	23	19	29	100
1954	3	16	21	18	41	9	22	22	17	29	100
1955	2	15	21	18	43	8	21	21	17	32	100
1956	2	15	23	17	42	7	22	22	18	30	100
1957	2	14	20	19	43	7	20	21	18	32	100
1958	1	14	23	20	40	7	21	22	17	31	100

* Includes a number of cases in which the ages of the parties were not stated.

No. 14. Divorce Decrees Made Absolute: Duration and Issue of Marriage, 1953 to 1958

Year.	Duration of Marriage.*						Number of Children in the Family.						Total Divorces.
	Under 5 years	5 to 9 years	10 to 14 years	15 to 19 years	20 to 24 years	25 years and over	0	1	2	3	4	5 and over†	
1953	308	1,195	960	522	343	397	1,239	1,147	741	342	133	123	3,725
1954	247	932	675	404	260	298	970	838	611	229	106	62	2,816
1955	233	967	665	396	272	341	940	849	617	244	107	117	2,874
1956	229	1,073	761	477	268	317	1,090	909	653	268	109	96	3,125
1957	219	1,002	693	498	283	280	1,048	843	653	258	101	72	2,975
1958	235	1,065	805	519	293	300	1,108	916	678	305	123	87	3,217

* See note *, Table 9.

† Includes "not stated".

No. 15. Divorce Decrees Made Absolute: Denominational and Civil Registration of Marriage, 1953 to 1958

Registration of Marriage.	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.		
						Husband as Petitioner.	Wife as Petitioner.	Total.
Denominational—								
Church of England ...	1,557	1,116	1,161	1,258	1,154	567	684	1,251
Roman Catholic ...	624	466	429	501	471	225	268	493
Presbyterian	403	312	327	301	334	139	196	335
Methodist	359	289	296	304	302	121	181	302
Congregational	75	59	44	48	41	21	31	52
Baptist	51	37	35	38	38	12	24	36
Other Religions	101	82	88	88	93	54	61	115
Total Denominational ...	3,170	2,361	2,380	2,538	2,433	1,139	1,445	2,584
Registrar's Offices	555	455	494	587	542	278	355	633
Total	3,725	2,816	2,874	3,125	2,975	1,417	1,800	3,217

No. 16. Higher Criminal Courts: Distinct Persons Tried and Convicted, 1948-49 to 1958

Year ended 30th June.	Distinct Persons Tried.	Not Guilty.	Convicted.				
			Offences Against the Person.*	Offences Against Property.*	Other Offences.*	Total Persons Convicted.	
						Number.	Per 100,000 of Population.
Males							
1949	1,662	364	402	878	18	1,298	85
1950	1,702	406	380	897	19	1,296	82
1951	1,618	374	373	860	11	1,244	76
1952	1,751	410	414	904	23	1,341	80
1953	1,999	423	437	1,108	31	1,576	93
1954	1,757	359	479	894	25	1,398	82
1955	1,878	319	496	1,042	21	1,559	90
1956	2,186	307	572	1,288	19	1,879	106‡
1957	2,323	263	629	1,416	15	2,060	114‡
1957†	2,434	277	586	1,554	17	2,157	119
1958†	2,422	218	583	1,597	24	2,204	119
Females							
1949	94	23	35	30	6	71	5
1950	73	17	22	30	4	56	4
1951	82	27	26	29	...	55	3
1952	64	17	18	27	2	47	3
1953	70	17	22	31	...	53	3
1954	68	17	28	18	5	51	3
1955	88	16	37	32	3	72	4
1956	74	20	27	27	...	54	3
1957	89	15	43	30	1	74	4
1957†	83	15	31	36	1	68	4
1958†	72	2	26	44	...	70	4
Persons							
1949	1,756	387	437	908	24	1,369	45
1950	1,775	423	402	927	23	1,352	43
1951	1,700	401	399	889	11	1,299	40
1952	1,815	427	432	931	25	1,388	42
1953	2,069	440	459	1,139	31	1,629	48
1954	1,825	376	507	912	30	1,449	43
1955	1,966	335	533	1,074	24	1,631	47
1956	2,260	327	599	1,315	19	1,933	55 ‡
1957	2,412	278	672	1,446	16	2,134	59 ‡
1957†	2,517	292	617	1,590	18	2,225	61
1958†	2,494	220	609	1,641	24	2,274	62

* New classification introduced in previous issue.
† Calendar Year.
‡ Revised.
NOTE. The number of Higher Courts of Criminal Jurisdiction at 30th June, 1958 was: Supreme Circuit Courts (country), 15; Central Criminal Court, 1; Courts of Quarter Sessions, 49; Court of Criminal Appeal, 1. The statistics of Higher Criminal Courts given in Tables 16 to 21 do not cover the appellate jurisdiction.

No. 17. Higher Criminal Courts: Distinct Persons Tried and Convicted, by Principal Offence, Year ended 31st December, 1958

In cases where more offences than one were charged during the year, only the most serious offence has been counted.

Offences.	Distinct Persons Tried.			Convicted.						Not Guilty.		
				Imprisoned (including insane or fined).			Bound Over.					
	M.	F.	Persons.	M.	F.	Persons.	M.	F.	Persons.	M.	F.	Persons.
Offences Against the Person												
General—												
Murder	11	...	11	8	...	8	...	...	...	3	...	3
Manslaughter (excluding driving)...	23	...	23	11	...	11	1	...	1	11	...	11
Malicious Wounding	39	7	46	19	3	22	12	3	15	8	1	9
Attempted Murder	6	...	6	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3
Abortion	5	3	8	1	1	2	3	2	5	1	...	1
Arson (with person therein) ...	11	...	11	4	...	4	4	...	4	3	...	3
Robbery	70	1	71	59	...	59	11	1	12	...	...	...
Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm	63	2	65	21	...	21	16	2	18	26	...	26
Assault to prevent Lawful Apprehension	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Assault, Other	34	...	34	15	...	15	16	...	16	3	...	3
Demand Property, etc., with Threats or Menaces	4	...	4	1	...	1	3	...	3	...	...	...
Attempted Suicide	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
Other Acts Endangering Life or causing bodily harm (excluding driving)	9	...	9	5	...	5	4	...	4	...	...	...
Other	5	...	5	1	...	1	4	...	4	...	...	...
Total, General	284	13	297	148	4	152	75	8	83	61	1	62
Sexual and Unnatural—												
Rape	6	...	6	3	...	3	1	...	1	2	...	2
Carnal Knowledge of Female under 16 years	151	...	151	24	...	24	98	...	98	29	...	29
Carnal Knowledge, other, including Incest	9	1	10	7	1	8	1	...	1	1	...	1
Indecent Assault on Female ...	88	...	88	38	...	38	33	...	33	17	...	17
Abduction	2	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Procuration	25	1	26	2	...	2	15	1	16	8	...	8
Bigamy and Offences relating to Marriage	8	12	20	7	1	8	1	11	12	...	...	...
Buggery	14	...	14	13	...	13	1	...	1	...	...	...
Indecent Assault on Male	93	...	93	33	...	33	51	...	51	9	...	9
Bestiality	6	...	6	3	...	3	3	...	3	...	...	...
Other...	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
Total, Sexual and Unnatural ...	406	14	420	132	2	134	204	12	216	70	...	70
Driving—												
Manslaughter	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
Culpable Driving	47	...	47	18	...	18	5	...	5	24	...	24
Other...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
Total, Driving	53	...	53	18	...	18	6	...	6	29	...	29
Total, Offences Against the Person	743	27	770	298	6	304	285	20	305	160	1	161
Offences Against Property												
Break, Enter, and Steal	935	19	954	542	3	545	362	15	377	31	1	32
Found at Night with Housebreaking Implements	7	...	7	4	...	4	3	...	3	...	...	...
Malicious Injury	5	2	7	2	...	2	...	2	2	3	...	3
Larceny	440	8	448	316	3	319	109	5	114	15	...	15
Embezzlement, including Larceny by Clerk or Servant	38	3	41	15	1	16	22	2	24	1	...	1
Fraudulent Misappropriation ...	22	3	25	9	...	9	11	3	14	2	...	2
Receiving	92	3	95	54	2	56	36	1	37	2	...	2
Illegally use Vehicle	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
False Pretences	88	4	92	48	3	51	40	1	41	...	...	...
Forgery and/or Uttering	21	3	24	5	1	6	14	2	16	2	...	2
Other	6	...	6	4	...	4	1	...	1	1	...	1
Total, Offences Against Property	1,655	45	1,700	999	13	1,012	598	31	629	58	1	59
Other Offences												
Perjury and Subornation	6	...	6	1	...	1	5	...	5	...	...	...
Effect Public Mischief	5	...	5	...	...	...	5	...	5	...	...	...
Escape Custody	9	...	9	9	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lewd or Scandalous Conduct ...	2	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Indictable Offences	2	...	2	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...
Total, Other Offences	24	...	24	13	...	13	11	...	11	...	...	...
Summary												
Against the Person—												
General	284	13	297	148	4	152	75	8	83	61	1	62
Sexual and Unnatural	406	14	420	132	2	134	204	12	216	70	...	70
Driving	53	...	53	18	...	18	6	...	6	29	...	29
Total, Offences Against the Person	743	27	770	298	6	304	285	20	305	160	1	161
Against Property	1,655	45	1,700	999	13	1,012	598	31	629	58	1	59
Other	24	...	24	13	...	13	11	...	11	...	...	...
Total, All Offences	2,422	72	2,494	1,310	19	1,329	894	51	945	218	2	220

No. 18. Higher Criminal Courts: Length of Sentence of Distinct Persons Convicted*, Year ended 31st December, 1958

Offences	Under 1 year, or fined	1 and under 2 years	2 and under 3 years	3 and under 5 years	5 and under 10 years	10 or more years	Life	Insane	Total
Offences Against the Person									
General —									
Murder	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	8
Manslaughter (excluding driving)	...	...	1	5	2	3	...	...	11
Malicious Wounding	1	6	6	3	4	1	...	1	22
Attempted Murder	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	3
Abortion	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Arson (with person therein)	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	4
Robbery	1	22	11	13	12	...	...	...	59
Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm	4	9	4	2	2	...	...	...	21
Assault to prevent Lawful Apprehension	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assault, Other	10	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	15
Demand Property, etc., with Threats or Menaces	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Other Acts Endangering Life or causing Bodily Harm (excluding driving)	1	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	5
Other	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Total, General	18	47	26	24	22	6	3	6	152
Sexual and Unnatural —									
Rape	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	3
Carnal Knowledge of Female under 16 years	6	11	2	4	...	1	...	...	24
Carnal Knowledge, other, including Incest	...	2	1	3	1	1	...	...	8
Indecent Assault on Female	1	20	10	4	2	...	...	1	38
Abduction	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
Procuration	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
Bigamy and Offences relating to Marriage	4	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	8
Buggery	3	2	4	2	2	...	...	...	13
Indecent Assault on Male	13	10	4	5	1	...	...	...	33
Bestiality	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	3
Total, Sexual and Unnatural	28	49	26	19	7	3	1	1	134
Driving —									
Culpable Driving	5	6	4	3	...	...	...	...	18
Total, Driving	5	6	4	3	...	...	...	...	18
Total, Offences Against the Person	51	102	56	46	29	9	4	7	304
Offences Against Property									
Break, Enter and Steal	98	223	102	86	36	...	...	...	545
Found at night with Housebreaking Implements	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	4
Malicious Injury	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Larceny	55	135	77	43	9	...	...	...	319
Embezzlement, including Larceny by Clerk or Servant	1	4	5	5	1	...	...	...	16
Fraudulent Misappropriation	...	4	2	3	...	...	...	...	9
Receiving	8	28	14	4	2	...	...	...	56
False Pretences	5	27	10	5	4	...	...	...	51
Forgery and/or Uttering	1	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	6
Other	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	4
Total, Offences Against Property	169	427	211	153	52	...	...	...	1,012
Other Offences									
Perjury and Subornation	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Escape Custody	4	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	9
Lewd or Scandalous Conduct	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Other Indictable Offences	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total, Other Offences	7	2	3	...	1	...	...	...	13
Summary									
Against the Person									
General	18	47	26	24	22	6	3	6	152
Sexual and Unnatural	28	49	26	19	7	3	1	1	134
Driving	5	6	4	3	...	...	...	...	18
Total, Offences Against the Person	51	102	56	46	29	9	4	7	304
Against Property	169	427	211	153	52	...	...	...	1,012
Other	7	2	3	...	1	...	...	...	13
Total, All Offences	227	531	270	199	82	9	4	7	1,329

* Excludes persons bound over. See Table 17.

No. 19. Higher Criminal Courts: Distinct Persons Tried and Convicted, by Principal Offence, 1954-55 to 1958

Offence.	Tried.					Convicted.				
	1954–55.	1955–56.	1956–57.	1957*	1958*	1954–55.	1955–56.	1956–57	1957*	1958*
Offences against the Person—										
Murder	13	21	16	15	11	6	12	10	10	8
Attempted Murder ...	7	7	5	5	6	4	5	2	2	3
Manslaughter	47	41	46	52	27	16	14	23	21	12
Malicious Wounding ...	46	54	54	53	46	35	32	44	36	37
Rape	8	19	7	5	6	5	14	...	1	4
Carnal Knowledge ...	80	83	110	109	161	54	67	85	93	131
Other Offences against Females	93	126	132	127	116	68	103	111	104	91
Indecent Assault on a Male	127	130	135	127	93	116	108	127	120	84
Other Unnatural Offences...	12	16	21	27	24	11	12	15	23	20
Abortion	5	3	5	3	8	4	2	5	...	7
Bigamy and Offences relating to Marriage ...	58	35	33	40	20	58	35	33	40	20
Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm	91	95	75	51	65	55	55	49	27	39
Assault, Other	33	30	46	40	35	32	28	45	37	32
Robbery	50	76	93	72	71	43	71	86	66	71
Other Offences	59	84	74	77	81	26	41	37	37	50
Total, Against the Person...	729	820	852	803	770	533	599	672	617	609
Offences Against Property—										
Break, Enter and Steal ...	661	785	826	931	954	625	764	799	899	922
Larceny, including Embezzlement	258	358	433	470	489	213	311	406	441	473
Receiving	44	81	93	91	95	39	68	81	85	93
Fraud and False Pretences	143	138	139	147	117	112	121	124	128	115
Forging and/or Uttering...	21	21	22	13	24	15	20	19	11	22
Other	85	37	27	37	21	70	31	17	26	16
Total, Against Property...	1,212	1,420	1,540	1,689	1,700	1,074	1,315	1,446	1,590	1,641
Other Offences	25	20	20	25	24	24	19	16	18	24
Total, All Offences	1,966	2,260	2,412	2,517	2,494	1,631	1,933	2,134	2,225	2,274

* Calendar Year.

No. 20. Higher Criminal Courts: Ages of Distinct Persons Convicted, 1949–50 to 1958

Year ended 30th June.	Age Groups (in years).											
	Under 16.	16–20.	21–25.	26–30.	31–35.	36–40.	41–45.	46–50.	51–55.	56–60.	Over 60.	Total.
Offences against the Person												
1950	...	71	93	64	49	41	33	23	8	7	13	402
1951	...	65	91	67	45	50	21	24	11	14	11	399
1952	1	77	98	73	48	49	24	20	20	11	11	432
1953	...	80	94	78	57	54	44	14	15	8	15	459
1954	3	91	107	70	62	49	48	33	11	13	20	507
1955	...	81	124	102	78	51	30	24	20	8	15	533
1956	2	142	114	94	73	62	34	37	16	15	10	599
1957	1	155	142	88	87	61	37	26	25	18	32	672
1957†	4	144	120	80	78	50	38	31	24	13	35	617
1958†	...	162	116	95	65	46	47	27	24	9	18	609
Offences against Property												
1950	1	243	238	172	86	65	52	26	23	15	6	927
1951	...	229	232	175	101	65	33	28	17	3	6	889
1952	...	231	246	184	106	69	45	28	10	8	4	931
1953	...	250	305	240	130	93	49	33	25	10	4	1,139
1954	...	210	221	148	137	93	39	37	14	6	7	912
1955	...	261	250	217	152	81	44	35	18	9	7	1,074
1956	1	366	324	235	166	102	58	30	13	14	6	1,315
1957	2	490	305	245	155	105	66	35	27	9	7	1,446
1957†	1	553	340	268	158	124	74	33	25	5	9	1,590
1958†	1	556	360	251	181	127	78	46	18	15	8	1,641
Total, All Offences*												
1950	1	318	336	239	140	107	88	50	31	23	19	1,352
1951	...	294	325	242	149	116	56	53	28	18	18	1,299
1952	1	316	348	263	157	119	70	49	30	20	15	1,388
1953	...	334	406	322	192	150	95	49	42	18	21	1,629
1954	3	305	334	225	205	145	88	71	27	19	27	1,449
1955	...	343	382	321	233	135	76	62	38	17	24	1,631
1956	3	515	439	333	242	165	92	68	29	30	17	1,933
1957	3	646	451	335	246	168	103	63	52	27	40	2,134
1957†	5	698	468	350	238	176	113	65	49	18	45	2,225
1958†	1	725	481	350	249	173	126	75	44	24	26	2,274

* Includes "Other Offences" besides those Against the Person and Against Property. † Calendar Year.

No. 21. Higher Criminal Courts: Ages and Offences of Distinct Persons Convicted, 1958

Offence.	Age Groups (in years).											
	Under 16.	16–20.	21–25.	26–30.	31–35.	36–40.	41–45.	46–50.	51–55.	56–60.	Over 60.	Total.
Offences against the Person—												
General—												
Murder	...	2	...	2	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	8
Manslaughter	...	...	5	2	1	...	1	2	1	...	...	12
Malicious Wounding	...	5	5	3	10	2	5	2	5	...	...	37
Attempted Murder	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3
Robbery	...	38	17	6	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	71
Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm	...	3	10	8	6	3	5	1	1	...	2	39
Assault, Other	...	3	7	6	4	4	4	...	2	...	2	32
Other	...	9	7	4	4	3	...	4	...	...	2	33
Total, General	...	61	51	32	33	17	15	10	10	...	6	235
Sexual and Unnatural—												
Carnal Knowledge	...	77	24	11	7	7	2	2	1	...	...	131
Other Offences against Females...	...	7	16	16	9	11	15	5	8	1	7	95
Indecent Assault on Male ...	...	10	15	18	9	6	6	6	4	6	4	84
Other Unnatural Offences ...	...	5	3	4	1	1	3	1	...	1	1	20
Bigamy and Offences relating to Marriage	...	...	2	10	1	1	4	2	...	...	...	20
Total, Sexual and Unnatural ...	...	99	60	59	27	26	30	16	13	8	12	350
Driving—												
Manslaughter	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other	...	2	5	4	5	3	2	1	1	1	...	24
Total, Driving	...	2	5	4	5	3	2	1	1	1	...	24
Total, Against the Person ...	...	162	116	95	65	46	47	27	24	9	18	609
Offences against Property—												
Break, Enter and Steal	1	323	207	132	100	71	43	27	9	7	2	922
Larceny, including Embezzlement...	...	181	115	67	45	30	17	9	3	3	3	473
Receiving	...	38	15	20	11	2	4	2	...	1	...	93
Fraud and False Pretences... ...	...	7	17	26	20	19	12	5	4	3	2	115
Forgery and/or Uttering	...	5	5	3	3	2	2	1	...	...	1	22
Other	...	2	1	3	2	3	...	2	2	1	...	16
Total, Against Property	1	556	360	251	181	127	78	46	18	15	8	1,641
Other Offences	...	7	5	4	3	...	1	2	2	...	...	24
Total, All Offences	1	725	481	350	249	173	126	75	44	24	26	2,274

No. 22 Coroners' Courts: Committals for Trial, 1949 to 1958

Year.	Charge—Murder.			Charge—Manslaughter.			Charge—Arson.			Total Persons Committed for Trial by Coroners.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1949	11	5	16	23	11	34	4	1	5	38	17	55
1950	25	4	29	35	2	37	7	...	7	67	6	73
1951	21	2	23	59	...	59	19	1	20	99	3	102
1952	22	8	30	71	3	74	11	2	13	104	13	117
1953	23	4	27	82	4	86	9	5	14	114	13	127
1954	16	8	24	53	1	54	8	3	11	77	12	89
1955	21	6	27	78	2	80	16	2	18	115	10	125
1956	31	7	38	66	5	71	8	...	8	105	12	117
1957	25	8	33	60	2	62	16	...	16	101	10	111
1958	24	18	42	50	22	72	18	4	22	92	44	136

NOTE. Persons apprehended by the police subsequent to the findings of Coroners are brought before Courts of Petty Sessions. For cause of death, as returned at inquests, see Part *Population and Vital Statistics*.

No. 23. Inquests on Fires, 1947 to 1958

Year.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.				Year.	Fire Inquests	Verdicts.			
		Accidental.	Arson.	Carelessness.	Not Sufficient Evidence.			Accidental.	Arson.	Carelessness.	Not Sufficient Evidence.
1947	17	4	11	...	2	1953	37	8	14	...	15
1948	20	8	7	...	5	1954	27	7	11	...	9
1949	17	8	5	...	4	1955	35	5	22	...	8
1950	25	5	10	...	10	1956	32	8	9	...	15
1951	46	15	19	...	12	1957	67	18	16	...	33
1952	50	17	18	...	15	1958	47	4	16	4	23

Inquests on Fires. When any property, real or personal, is destroyed or damaged by fire, the Coroner is empowered to make an inquiry into the cause and origin of such fire. The mode of procedure is the same as in inquests in cases of deaths.

No. 24. District Courts: Transactions, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Cases Tried.			Cases Discontinued or Settled Without Hearing.	Judgment for Plaintiff by Default, Confession, or Agreement.	Cases Settled by Arbitration.	Total Suits Disposed of.	Total Suits arising during Year.	Cases Pending and in Arrear.
	Verdict for Plaintiff.	Verdict for Defendant (including Non-suits, etc.).	Total*.						
1948	871	199	1,070	2,903	2,946	2	6,921	6,031	1,671
1949	1,076	240	1,316	3,979	3,558	1	8,854	9,112	1,929
1950	1,045	232	1,277	3,946	5,085	13	10,321	10,839	2,447
1951	1,214	283	1,497	5,353	3,832	5	10,687	11,168	2,928
1952	1,062	249	1,311	5,719	4,803	58	11,891	18,323	9,360
1953	2,398	381	2,779	9,887	8,876	3	21,545	23,653	11,468
1954	2,765	449	3,214	11,810	10,204	3	25,231	26,754	12,991
1955	3,116	465	3,581	12,184	12,680	21	28,466	29,022	13,547
1956	2,621	390	3,011	13,982	16,219	29	33,241	35,180	15,486
1957	4,459	621	5,080	18,142	19,718	18	42,958	43,874	16,402
1958	2,855	527	3,382	14,949	27,892	55	46,278	57,832	27,956

* Includes cases tried by jury. These numbered 592 in 1958.

No. 25. Courts of Petty Sessions and Children's Courts: Charges and Convictions, 1948 to 1958

(Includes all offences charged against an individual)

Year.	Cases Withdrawn or Discharged.	Summary Convictions and Penalty.				Cases Committed to Higher Courts.	Total Offences Charged.			Minor Offences against Traffic Laws settled by Fines†
		Fined.	Imprisoned.	Other. *	Total Convictions.		Males.	Females.	Total.	
1948	11,976	100,928	4,549	77,890	183,367	3,113	185,847	12,609	198,456	...
1949	12,086	112,365	4,351	73,239	189,955	3,776	193,541	12,276	205,817	...
1950	11,762	119,448	4,925	75,246	199,619	3,513	202,206	12,688	214,894	...
1951	13,945	137,961	5,229	81,324	224,514	3,706	229,649	12,516	242,165	...
1952	14,848	163,356	6,257	80,232	249,845	4,504	252,669	16,528	269,197	...
1953	14,781	168,930	6,012	82,580	257,522	4,263	259,645	16,921	276,566	...
1954	16,881	165,034	5,479	79,506	250,019	4,205	253,319	17,786	271,105	23,177
1955	15,918	141,724	6,359	85,694	233,777	4,792	237,816	16,671	254,487	61,179
1956	15,985	159,653	7,809	81,669	249,131	6,056	252,415	18,757	271,172	163,921
1957	18,114	191,343	8,412	82,734	282,489	7,221	286,877	20,947	307,824	237,811
1958	21,230	206,411	10,220	77,909	294,540	7,327	300,863	22,234	323,097	315,058

* Mainly forfeiture of bail by persons charged with drunkenness.
† Minor offences against Traffic Laws settled without court appearance by payment of fines to Police Department. These are excluded from the rest of this table and from Tables 26 to 28.

No. 26. Courts of Petty Sessions and Children's Courts: Convictions for Principal Offences, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Against the Person.	Against Property.	Against Good Order.		Traffic and Transport Offences.	Other Offences (Mainly Administrative).	Total Convictions.		
			Drunkenness.	Other.			Males.	Females.	Total.
Number of Summary Convictions									
1948	2,777	10,531	82,625	22,981	43,205	21,248	172,335	11,032	183,367
1949	2,551	10,432	78,206	22,278	52,732	23,756	179,168	10,787	189,955
1950	2,779	11,362	78,477	23,771	60,879	22,351	188,349	11,270	199,619
1951	2,787	12,845	82,837	25,228	76,051	24,766	213,533	10,981	224,514
1952	2,898	14,960	79,088	20,816	102,252	29,831	235,072	14,773	249,845
1953	2,838	14,774	72,647	19,393	118,728	29,142	242,183	15,339	257,522
1954	2,860	14,225	72,541	23,184	115,578*	21,631	234,097	15,922	250,019*
1955	3,060	16,743	80,457	25,103	90,400*	18,014	218,824	14,953	233,777*
1956	3,092	18,307	77,195	26,747	100,670*	23,120	232,109	17,022	249,131*
1957	3,587	19,923	75,953	30,168	122,296*	30,562	263,381	19,108	282,489*
1958	3,701	24,259	68,354	32,236	134,940*	31,050	274,155	20,385	294,540*
Convictions per 10,000 of Mean Population									
1948	9	34	273	76	143	70	1,137	73	605
1949	8	33	251	72	170	76	1,148	69	610
1950	8	35	243	74	189	70	1,162	70	619
1951	8	38	250	76	229	75	1,275	67	676
1952	9	44	233	86	277	88	1,375	88	737
1953	8	43	211	88	313	84	1,395	90	747
1954	8	42	213	68	339*	64	1,367	94	734*
1955	9	48	233	72	261*	53	1,259	87	676*
1956	9	52	217	75	283*	65	1,299	96	701*
1957	10	55	210	83	338*	84	1,448	106	780*
1958	10	66	185	87	366*	84	1,481	111	798*

* See note †, Table 25.

No. 27. Courts of Petty Sessions and Children's Courts: Total Offences Charged and Punishments Imposed, 1958

All offences charged against an individual are included.

Offences.	Committed for Trial to Higher Court.		Convicted.						Withdrawn or Discharged.		Total Offences Charged.		
			Fined.		Imprisoned.		Other.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
Offences Against the Person													
General—													
Murder	39	3	...	...	...	...	3	2	11	1	53	6	59
Attempted murder ...	32	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	33	5	38
Manslaughter (excluding cases arising from driving)	17	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	24	3	27
Robbery	135	1	...	...	20	7	11	4	18	...	184	12	196
Abortion and attempts	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	2	6
Attempted suicide ...	4	...	1	...	15	2	37	20	46	11	103	33	136
Causing actual or grievous bodily harm (excluding cases arising from driving)...	180	10	10	...	7	...	49	5	108	9	354	24	378
Assault, other	43	1	1,333	82	267	5	1,037	57	2,746	377	5,426	522	5,948
Other offences	7	1	58	...	30	...	46	...	24	2	165	3	168
Total, General ...	459	25	1,402	82	339	14	1,184	88	2,962	401	6,346	610	6,956
Sexual and Unnatural—													
Rape and attempts ...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	48	...	48
Unnatural offences ...	282	3	4	...	56	...	157	...	36	1	535	4	539
Other offences against females	426	2	...	...	43	...	318	1	100	1	887	4	891
Bigamy	26	12	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	28	13	41
Total, Sexual and Unnatural	774	17	4	...	99	...	476	2	145	2	1,498	21	1,519
Driving—													
Manslaughter	34	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	28	1	63	1	64
Culpable driving ...	7	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	12	...	12
Bodily harm, caused by wanton or furious driving, etc.	58	...	1	...	1	...	7	...	25	...	92	...	92
Total, Driving	99	...	1	...	1	...	9	...	57	1	167	1	168
Total, Offences Against the Person	1,332	42	1,407	82	439	14	1,669	90	3,164	404	8,011	632	8,643
Offences Against Property													
Break, enter and steal, etc.	2,513	37	23	1	784	19	1,838	44	220	7	5,378	108	5,486
Malicious injury	34	3	917	42	56	2	266	17	221	31	1,494	95	1,589
Larceny	840	54	5,017	907	2,865	125	3,915	678	728	65	13,365	1,829	15,194
Embezzlement, including larceny by clerk or servant	195	4	110	1	65	...	125	7	44	8	539	20	559
Fraudulent misappropriation	129	...	76	...	8	1	50	2	37	3	300	6	306
Illegally use vehicle or boat	595	7	307	6	426	1	936	13	160	3	2,424	30	2,454
Receiving	96	3	561	42	211	4	291	17	266	14	1,425	80	1,505
False pretences	935	33	725	57	1,350	26	619	213	327	19	3,956	348	4,304
Forgery and/or uttering...	95	2	37	16	73	3	186	23	24	15	415	59	474
Other offences	43	...	50	1	34	...	68	2	23	1	218	4	222
Total, Offences Against Property	5,475	143	7,823	1,073	5,872	181	8,294	1,016	2,050	166	29,514	2,579	32,093
Offences Against Good Order													
Indictable offences—													
Public mischief ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Perjury and false swearing	10	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	3	13
Escape from custody ...	22	...	...	...	5	...	14	4	...	...	41	4	45
Lewd or scandalous conduct	5	1	5	...	5	...	4	...	...	...	19	1	20
Other	24	1	4	...	19	2	9	2	5	...	61	5	66
Total, Indictable ..	62	5	9	...	29	2	27	6	5	...	132	13	145

No. 27. Courts of Petty Sessions and Children's Courts: Total Offences Charged and Punishments Imposed, 1958 (*continued*)

All offences charged against an individual are included

Offences.	Committed for Trial to Higher Court.		Convicted.						Withdrawn or Discharged.		Total Offences Charged.		
			Fined.		Imprisoned.		Other.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
Offences Against Good Order (*continued*)													
Summary Offences—													
Drunk, drunk and disorderly ...	...	...	14,715	1,544	88	16	49,219	2,772	697	34	64,719	4,366	69,085
Indecent, riotous or offensive conduct	...	...	4,545	3,805	17	1	1,439	756	262	36	6,263	4,598	10,861
Betting and Gaming offences ...	...	...	4,682	159	5	...	111	2	21	2	4,819	163	4,982
Vagrancy	...	...	6	...	1,640	259	721	459	385	73	2,752	791	3,543
Obscene, threatening or abusive language	...	...	3,317	367	4	...	728	99	273	106	4,322	572	4,894
Evade fare on public vehicle ...	...	...	2,657	1,041	1	...	137	67	106	26	2,901	1,134	4,035
Other	12	...	1,973	102	820	421	1,321	501	208	28	4,334	1,052	5,386
Total, Summary	12	...	31,895	7,018	2,575	697	53,676	4,656	1,952	305	90,110	12,676	102,786
Total, Offences Against Good Order	74	5	31,904	7,018	2,604	699	53,703	4,662	1,957	305	90,242	12,689	102,931
Offences Against Traffic Laws													
Driving under the influence	...	...	2,524	18	30	...	1,760	12	275	3	4,589	33	4,622
Other driving offences	...	...	71,487	1,763	24	...	1,947	75	4,295	61	77,753	1,899	79,652
Parking and allied offences	...	...	39,325	1,034	1	...	1,737	68	4,153	106	45,216	1,208	46,424
Other traffic offences	...	...	12,457	226	24	...	409	19	302	6	13,192	251	13,443
Total, Offences Against Traffic Laws*	...	...	125,793	3,041	79	...	5,853	174	9,025	176	140,750	3,391	144,141
Breaches of Acts, not Elsewhere Included													
Aborigines Protection	...	...	630	32	3	...	79	8	18	1	730	41	771
Public Health Acts	...	...	1,761	75	1	...	43	6	85	22	1,890	103	1,993
Child Welfare	...	...	137	7	47	34	277	177	67	34	528	252	780
Deserted Wives and Children ...	...	...	1	...	57	...	261	...	110	...	429	...	429
Fisheries and Oyster Farms	...	...	779	8	...	...	27	1	45	...	851	9	860
Government Railways and By-laws ...	...	...	2,913	438	10	...	188	25	103	33	3,214	496	3,710
Liquor (other than sly grog) ...	...	...	2,536	50	1	...	103	18	185	16	2,825	84	2,909
Local Government Act and Ordinances	...	...	3,522	261	...	...	143	29	665	243	4,330	533	4,863
Pastures Protection	...	...	1,436	9	...	...	20	1	133	2	1,589	12	1,601
Other Acts	201	55	12,667	1,008	152	27	921	121	2,019	202	15,960	1,413	17,373
Total	201	55	26,382	1,888	271	61	2,062	386	3,430	553	32,346	2,943	35,289
Summary													
Offences Against the Person—													
General	459	25	1,402	82	339	14	1,184	88	2,962	401	6,346	610	6,956
Sexual and Unnatural	774	17	4	...	99	...	476	2	145	2	1,498	21	1,519
Driving	99	...	1	...	1	...	9	...	57	1	167	1	168
Total, Against The Person	*1,332*	*42*	*1,407*	*82*	*439*	*14*	*1,669*	*90*	*3,164*	*404*	*8,011*	*632*	*8,643*
Offences Against Property	5,475	143	7,823	1,073	5,872	181	8,294	1,016	2,050	166	29,514	2,579	32,093
Offences Against Good Order—													
Indictable Offences	62	5	9	...	29	2	27	6	5	...	132	13	145
Summary Offences	12	...	31,895	7,018	2,575	697	53,676	4,656	1,952	305	90,110	12,676	102,786
Total, Against Good Order	*74*	*5*	*31,904*	*7,018*	*2,604*	*699*	*53,703*	*4,662*	*1,957*	*305*	*90,242*	*12,689*	*102,931*
Offences Against Traffic Laws* ...	...	...	125,793	3,041	79	...	5,853	174	9,025	176	140,750	3,391	144,141
Breaches of Acts not elsewhere included	201	55	26,382	1,888	271	61	2,062	386	3,430	553	32,346	2,943	35,289
Total, All Offences	7,082	245	193,309	13,102	9,265	955	71,581	6,328	19,626	1,604	300,863	22,234	323,097

* See note †, Table 25.

No. 28. Courts of Petty Sessions and Children's Courts: Convictions and Imprisonments for Principal Offences, 1954 to 1958

Offence.	Imprisoned.					Total Summary Convictions.				
	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.
Offences Against the Person—										
Offences Against Females	11	8	12	17	43	128	69	117	163	364
Attempted Suicide	23	25	11	14	17	87	73	81	65	75
Assault, Common	187	211	240	316	272	2,500	2,800	2,637	3,005	2,781
Other	9	4	62	67	121	145	118	257	354	481
Total, Against the Person	230	248	325	414	453	2,860	3,060	3,092	3,587	3,701
Offences Against Property—										
Breaking and Entering	127	198	192	389	803	1,193	1,365	1,571	1,661	2,709
Larceny, including Embezzlement ...	1,974	2,271	2,497	2,627	3,055	8,948	10,441	10,637	11,726	13,815
Illegally Use Motor Vehicle or Boat ...	455	319	391	297	427	1,214	1,217	1,320	1,179	1,689
Receiving	122	132	178	143	215	798	999	1,128	1,095	1,126
Forgery, Uttering and False Pretences	361	606	1,027	1,243	1,452	1,093	1,544	2,515	2,766	3,328
Malicious Injury	12	94	39	62	58	820	1,000	1,001	1,281	1,300
Other	37	49	30	68	43	159	177	135	215	292
Total, Against Property...	3,088	3,669	4,354	4,829	6,053	14,225	16,743	18,307	19,923	24,259
Offences Against Good Order—										
Drunk, Drunk and Disorderly	29	54	375	99	104	72,541	80,457	77,195	75,953	68,354
Indecent, Riotous and Offensive Conduct	17	13	21	10	18	7,321	8,934	8,462	10,678	10,563
Vagrancy	1,150	1,238	1,550	1,841	1,899	1,950	2,022	2,551	3,032	3,085
Other	648	661	770	695	1,282	13,913	14,147	15,734	16,458	18,588
Total, Against Good Order	1,844	1,966	2,716	2,645	3,303	95,725	105,560	103,942	106,121	100,590
Offences Against Traffic Laws*	69	99	95	105	79	115,578	90,400	100,670	122,296	134,940
Breaches of Acts relating to—										
Public Health	...	...	1	1	1	1,510	1,576	1,768	1,590	1,886
Government Railways and By-Laws ...	5	5	1	12	10	2,001	1,785	2,403	3,396	3,574
Liquor (Other than Sly Grog)	1	...	...	1	1	2,465	2,585	3,045	2,819	2,708
Local Government	...	...	...	...	...	2,970	3,235	3,064	3,513	3,955
Other Offences	242	372	317	405	320	12,685	8,833	12,840	19,244	18,927
Total, All Offences	5,479	6,359	7,809	8,412	10,220	250,019	233,777	249,131	282,489	294,540

* See note †, Table 25.

No. 29. Courts of Petty Sessions and Children's Courts: Applications for Orders, 1954 to 1958

Classification.	Number of Cases Brought Before the Courts.					Number of Orders Made.				
	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.
For Maintenance—Wife	3,093	3,111	3,403	3,171	3,167	1,528	1,534	1,613	1,546	1,507
Child	1,250	1,600	1,595	1,528	1,681	949	1,217	1,159	1,078	1,133
Under Lunacy Act ...	1	5	9	10	9	1	4	5	7	6
Varying Order for Maintenance	1,584	1,569	1,555	1,646	1,728	1,089	1,127	1,107	1,215	1,287
Uncontrollable or Neglected Child, etc. ...	377	595	503	454	653	318	486	375	391	595
Detention of Property	5,084	6,611	8,446	9,183	8,502	2,841	3,751	4,622	5,119	5,215
Lunacy Act—Orders for Detention in Institution	3,726	4,347	4,293	4,392	4,328	2,155	2,393	2,228	2,185	2,142
Landlord and Tenant	5,964	6,850	6,893	6,583	6,639	2,889	3,446	3,427	3,285	3,321
Masters and Servants Act (Wages, etc.) ...	673	1,290	1,430	1,869	1,998	545	523	1,240	1,558	1,757
Other	3,188	3,663	3,937	3,945	3,230	1,681	2,177	2,334	2,103	1,881
Total	24,940	29,641	32,064	32,781	31,935	13,996	16,658	18,110	18,487	18,844

No. 30. Courts of Petty Sessions and Children's Courts: Applications for Orders, 1957 and 1958

Classification.	Orders Made.		No Orders Made (after evidence).		Cases Withdrawn, etc.		Total Cases.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1957									
For Maintenance—Wife	1,545	1	452	1	1,172	...	3,169	2	3,171
Child	1,075	3	77	5	368	...	1,520	8	1,528
Under Lunacy Act ...	6	1	2	1	...	...	8	2	10
Varying Order for Maintenance ...	790	425	116	56	166	93	1,072	574	1,646
Preliminary Expenses (Infant Protection Act, 1904)	58	...	8	...	18	...	84	...	84
Uncontrollable Child	46	19	3	5	12	2	61	26	87
Neglected Child	147	179	6	7	20	8	173	194	367
Child Welfare Act	156	66	17	25	114	56	287	147	434
Breach of Conditions of Release ...	236	23	69	13	30	12	335	48	383
Detention of Property	3,663	1,456	50	20	2,807	1,187	6,520	2,663	9,183
Prohibition (Liquor Act)...	238	9	29	3	82	13	349	25	374
Lunacy Act—Orders for Detention in Institution	969	1,216	1,143	653	252	159	2,364	2,028	4,392
Landlord and Tenant	2,632	653	653	250	1,952	443	5,237	1,346	6,583
Industrial Arbitration Act, Trade Union Levies	710	36	321	26	292	19	1,323	81	1,404
Masters and Servants Act (Wages, etc.)...	1,496	62	166	9	113	23	1,775	94	1,869
Other	483	88	147	16	448	84	1,078	188	1,266
Total	14,250	4,237	3,259	1,090	7,846	2,099	25,355	7,426	32,781
1958									
For Maintenance—Wife	1,506	1	422	...	1,235	3	3,163	4	3,167
Child	1,132	1	103	...	445	...	1,680	1	1,681
Under Lunacy Act ...	4	2	2	...	1	...	7	2	9
Varying Order for Maintenance ...	903	384	124	40	210	67	1,237	491	1,728
Preliminary Expenses (Infant Protection Act, 1904)	45	1	5	...	15	...	65	1	66
Uncontrollable Child	83	52	3	4	9	3	95	59	154
Neglected Child	206	254	8	14	10	7	224	275	499
Child Welfare Act	109	63	15	15	84	48	208	126	334
Breach of Conditions of Release ...	213	41	64	3	15	1	292	45	337
Detention of Property	3,895	1,320	60	13	2,389	825	6,344	2,158	8,502
Prohibition (Liquor Act)...	192	11	27	...	57	8	276	19	295
Lunacy Act—Orders for Detention in Institution	1,040	1,102	1,085	628	299	174	2,424	1,904	4,328
Landlord and Tenant	2,665	656	641	183	2,026	468	5,332	1,307	6,639
Industrial Arbitration Act, Trade Union Levies	731	48	112	...	280	38	1,123	86	1,209
Masters and Servants Act (Wages, etc.)...	1,484	273	66	5	150	20	1,700	298	1,998
Other	361	66	95	11	374	82	830	159	989
Total	14,569	4,275	2,832	916	7,599	1,744	25,000	6,935	31,935

No. 31. Courts of Petty Sessions and Children's Courts: Non-compliance with Orders, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Classification of Cases.*						Action Taken.					
	For Maintenance.			Landlord and Tenant.	Other.	Total.	Cases Withdrawn or Discharged.	Orders Subsequently Obeyed.	Defendants Imprisoned.	Total Cases Dealt with.		
	Wife.	Child.	Under Lunacy Act.							Males.	Females. *	Persons.
1948	4,042	1,047	11	163	31	5,294	1,245	2,443	1,606	5,256	38	5,294
1949	3,711	854	2	96	73	4,736	1,188	2,005	1,543	4,699	37	4,736
1950	3,412	1,068	3	90	48	4,621	1,155	2,293	1,173	4,601	20	4,621
1951	3,212	724	...	82	60	4,078	1,198	2,081	799	4,057	21	4,078
1952	3,705	655	...	71	210	4,641	1,461	2,684	496	4,621	20	4,641
1953	3,903	832	...	102	153	4,990	1,467	2,982	541	4,978	12	4,990
1954	4,112	810	...	54	98	5,074	1,346	3,246	482	5,049	25	5,074
1955	4,510	693	3	175	247	5,628	1,239	3,920	469	5,585	43	5,628
1956	4,552	877	3	129	189	5,750	1,527	3,550	673	5,713	37	5,750
1957	4,289	877	...	94	270	5,530	1,564	3,378	588	5,491	39	5,530
1958	4,590	889	1	66	123	5,669	1,697	3,372	600	5,642	27	5,669

* Most cases against females are under the Landlord and Tenant Act.

No. 32. Children's Courts, Sydney: Cases Dealt with and Offences, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Criminal Offences.		Child Welfare Act.			Transport and Traffic Offences.	Truancy under Public Instruction Act.	Total Cases Dealt With.		
	Stealing and Breaking and Entering.	Other.	Uncontrollable Child.	Absconding from Proper Custody.	Other (including Truancy).			Boys.	Girls.	Children.
1948	649	305	226	216	502	429	135	1,864	598	2,462
1949	713	288	215	138	510	411	89	1,853	511	2,364
1950	717	225	125	106	453	567	58	1,770	481	2,251
1951	818	309	134	99	546	561	77	2,028	516	2,544
1952	901	482	84	110	620	767	58	2,420	602	3,022
1953	978	304	80	62	672	908	67	2,439	632	3,071
1954	1,056	474	67	57	692	810	62	2,551	667	3,218
1955	887	430	100	58	790	883	46	2,494	700	3,194
1956	1,372	664	140	88	971	1,106	76	3,484	933	4,417
1957	1,339	631	172	48	1,181	961	45	3,368	1,009	4,377
1958	1,274	638	185	50	1,180	1,478	51	3,775	1,081	4,856

No. 33. Children's Courts, Sydney: Cases Dealt with and Action Taken, 1951–52 to 1957–58

Action Taken.	Cases Dealt with during Year ended 30th June.						
	1952.	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.
Committed for Trial	1	17	8	7	25	24	16
Admonished, Discharged, etc.	339	487	379	406	603	407	507
Released on Probation	1,071	1,042	1,226	1,012	1,363	1,357	1,472
Committed to care of Minister	116	106	142	179	269	293	349
Committed to care of Approved Person ...	129	126	117	140	135	144	105
Imprisoned	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
Fined	740	660	656	744	928	892	1,316
Bound over	35	42	55	45	96	100	101
Committed to Institution of Child Welfare Department	341	370	357	437	585	726	642
Committed to Institution—Order suspended	154	160	189	154	293	354	278
Returned to Former Custody	49	27	40	32	75	26	24
Isolated Detention within Institution ...	11	5	2	7	6	4	4
Variation of Order	25	26	27	20	17	32	23
Committed to Prison—Order suspended ...	7	2	2	2	6	6	7
Other	4	1	18	9	15	10	9
Total Cases Dealt with	3,022	3,071	3,218	3,194	4,417	4,377	4,856

No. 34. Metropolitan and Country Children's Courts: Period of Probation of Children Released on Probation, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Under 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 years and over.	Not Stated.	Total Released.
1948	15	456	655	259	93	21	1,499
1949	4	382	954	295	96	2	1,733
1950	15	298	973	293	95	4	1,678
1951	7	380	1,150	313	152	8	2,010
1952	8	457	1,236	371	159	15	2,246
1953	4	479	1,335	397	168	8	2,391
1954	15	465	1,478	399	150	2	2,509
1955	8	539	1,247	364	183	1	2,342
1956	7	578	1,707	440	227	12	2,971
1957	1	575	2,022	334	208	25	3,165
1958—							
Boys	10	369	1,727	348	102	3	2,559
Girls	4	217	362	49	50	3	685
Total	14	586	2,089	397	152	6	3,244

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No. 35. Metropolitan and Country Children's Courts: Ages of Children Released on Probation, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Age (in years)													
	Under 8.	8 to 9.	9 to 10.	10 to 11.	11 to 12.	12 to 13.	13 to 14.	14 to 15.	15 to 16.	16 to 17.	17 to 18.	18 and Over.	Not Stated.	Total Released.
1948	58	24	42	52	92	140	184	286	229	199	168	14	11	1,499
1949	82	31	50	85	91	122	227	293	265	262	206	13	6	1,733
1950	68	15	35	65	94	127	228	286	256	251	226	20	7	1,678
1951	80	25	42	72	111	149	268	425	308	275	216	27	12	2,010
1952	71	31	51	81	135	174	332	458	342	321	226	18	6	2,246
1953	127	25	60	78	129	202	354	475	343	318	262	10	8	2,391
1954	91	29	52	103	127	194	354	546	397	344	257	15	...	2,509
1955	156	38	59	113	94	184	334	451	335	324	230	16	8	2,342
1956	140	40	61	114	151	227	454	576	416	417	312	16	47	2,971
1957	125	54	86	90	150	261	389	573	515	465	355	31	71	3,165
1958—														
Boys	58	27	42	94	140	183	370	470	435	396	316	24	4	2,559
Girls	40	5	8	14	11	31	82	145	148	114	80	5	2	685
Total	98	32	50	108	151	214	452	615	583	510	396	29	6	3,244

No. 36. Child Welfare Department: Ages of Children Admitted to Principal Institutions* for Delinquents, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Age (in years)									
	Under 12.	12 to 13.	13 to 14.	14 to 15.	15 to 16.	16 to 17.	17 to 18.	18 and Over.	Not Stated.	Total.
1948	36	33	44	87	71	68	69	8	1	417
1949	47	29	74	56	70	113	70	7	...	466
1950	60	41	65	76	70	103	79	6	1	501
1951	36	29	73	101	95	116	106	9	...	565
1952	34	39	61	89	95	112	76	2	...	508
1953	52	35	58	91	107	121	99	5	...	568
1954	43	34	80	96	111	115	114	1	...	594
1955	47	46	80	108	103	127	119	6	...	636
1956	67	42	98	126	146	155	114	11	...	759
1957	92	64	132	152	171	214	164	8	...	997
1958—										
Boys	65	45	97	97	135	145	157	5	...	746
Girls	...	2	14	40	52	56	42	...	...	206
Total	65	47	111	137	187	201	199	5	...	952

* Gosford Training School for Boys, Mittagong Training School for Boys, and Parramatta Training School for Girls.

No. 37. Child Welfare Department: Period of Detention of Children Discharged from Principal Institutions* for Delinquents, 1947-48 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Boys.						Girls.						Total Children.
	Under 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 years and Over.	Total.	Under 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 years and Over.	Total.	
1948	36	143	121	9	...	309	9	36	48	2	...	95	404
1949	24	160	115	25	5	329	6	28	35	1	...	70	399
1950	15	143	150	40	1	349	7	28	41	8	...	84	433
1951	28	191	119	22	3	363	17	28	33	5	...	83	446
1952	44	153	134	9	5	345	7	33	28	3	...	71	416
1953	44	143	141	7	...	335	7	48	33	1	...	89	424
1954	36	228	135	21	...	420	34	58	29	2	...	123	543
1955	31	217	141	8	1	398	9	86	30	2	...	127	525
1956	62	306	97	5	...	470	1	70	16	...	...	87	557
1957	39	432	102	4	1	578	19	108	14	...	...	141	719
1958	46	569	121	2	...	738	12	127	26	...	...	165	903

* See note *, Table 36.

No. 38. Small Debts Courts*: Transactions, 1947 to 1958

Year.	Plaints Entered.	Verdicts for Plaintiff.		Executions Issued.	Garnishee Orders Issued.	Year.	Plaints Entered.	Verdicts for Plaintiff.		Executions Issued.	Garnishee Orders Issued.
		Number.	Amount.					Number.	Amount.		
			£						£		
1947	24,397	10,822	135,243	2,906	2,596	1953	48,827	18,895	288,932	7,412	3,362
1948	26,579	11,246	146,525	3,695	2,130	1954	53,497	20,285	345,102	7,674	4,485
1949	31,362	11,924	163,810	4,263	2,191	1955	72,167	23,548	401,999	7,998	5,716
1950	33,090	13,005	168,891	4,657	2,523	1956	53,881	21,411	315,440	6,222	7,022
1951	33,425	11,445	155,766	4,621	2,361	1957	81,422	36,340	652,531	12,562	9,333
1952	42,271	15,460	227,734	5,769	2,528	1958	63,929	26,228	435,303	8,084	9,614

* Jurisdiction limited to cases involving up to £50.

No. 39. Federal Court of Bankruptcy, N.S.W. District*: Orders and Petitions, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 31st July.	Sequestration Orders.					Orders for Administration Deceased Debtors' Estates.					Total Petitions.	
	On Petitions of—		Total Orders.	Liabilities.	Assets.	On Petitions of—		Total Orders.	Liabilities.	Assets.	Filed during Year.	Withdrawn or Dismissed.
	Debtors.	Creditors.				Legal Representatives.	Creditors.					
	No.	No.	No.	£	£	No.	No.	No.	£	£	No.	No.
1949	23	93	116	155,566	77,877	6	5	11	15,797	6,189	169	19
1950	26	107	133	232,132	113,486	4	3	7	25,110	12,433	200	55
1951	23	87	110	210,021	172,085	6	3	9	35,479	28,687	179	39
1952	28	122	150	218,387	176,798	4	...	4	36,839	36,472	233	12
1953	63	177	240	522,446	274,209	6	5	11	76,535	48,580	360	76
1954	50	220	270	707,340	467,682	4	8	12	23,453	19,329	444	93
1955	54	260	314	749,841	434,332	...	1	1	509	...	449	100
1956†	81	259	340	1,030,896	564,368	...	7	7	40,470	11,197	483	139
1957†	115	364	479	1,512,423	759,399	...	5	5	58,422	29,168	663	171
1958†	109	317	426	1,164,429	651,794	4	13	17	54,122	44,415	825	212
1959†	148	496	644	1,679,262	749,022	1	9	10	‡	‡	1,002	315

* Includes Australian Capital Territory. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Not available.

No. 40. Federal Court of Bankruptcy, N.S.W. District*: Deeds of Arrangement, etc., 1949–50 to 1958–59

Year ended 31st July.	Compositions and Assignments without Sequestration.			Deeds of Arrangement.		
	No.	Liabilities.	Assets.	No.	Liabilities.	Assets.
		£	£		£	£
1950	...	...	...	18	53,028	50,151
1951	1	516	258	19	106,913	74,338
1952	2	719	8,536	25	256,882	319,087
1953	1	2,512	719	46	443,997	361,889
1954	1	1,214	1,534	47	489,346	479,911
1955	1	5,217	1,100	45	406,434	353,794
1956†	5	96,507	28,035	48	476,605	488,723
1957†	5	33,062	11,863	64	653,457	638,762
1958†	7	30,265	10,841	73	759,830	899,643
1959†	6	25,442	11,470	85	974,652	898,461

*Includes Australian Capital Territory. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 41. Public Trust Office: Transactions, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Estates Received for Administration.	Trust Moneys.		Commission and Fees. *	Office Administration.	Unclaimed Money paid into Treasury.	Value of Estates in Active Administration.
		Received.	Paid.				
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1949	2,207	2,257,230	2,295,094	126,972	126,972	6,129	7,375,355
1950	2,463	2,430,574	2,279,526	145,697	145,697	9,580	7,129,258
1951	2,468	2,656,234	2,746,523	169,357	169,357	5,035	7,623,695
1952	2,705	2,836,228	2,795,656	206,509	206,509	4,689	8,027,764
1953	2,738	2,976,991	3,047,407	222,340	222,340	18,888	8,553,492
1954	2,818	3,142,947	3,124,640	230,890	230,890	8,969	8,884,864
1955	2,815	3,461,094	3,425,767	253,643	253,643	5,493	9,343,704
1956	3,031	3,233,040	3,311,944	270,178	270,178	11,428	9,716,418
1957	2,784	3,837,693	3,814,359	278,834	278,834	28,569	11,012,333
1958	2,742	4,387,374	4,440,104	297,291	297,291	8,961	10,968,697
1959	2,950	5,775,577	5,883,305	329,225	329,225	10,734	11,481,174

* The commission and fees chargeable against estates are regulated to provide a sufficient amount to defray the working expenses of the Act and constitute the Office Revenue.

No. 42. Liquor : Consumption and Expenditure by the Public in New South Wales*, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Liquor Purchased by Licensees for Retailing to the Public.†							Estimated Expenditure by the Public on Intoxicants.
	Quantity.			Wholesale Value.				
	Beer.	Wine.	Spirits.	Beer.	Wine.	Spirits.	Total.	
	gallons.	gallons.	gallons.‡	£	£	£	£	£ million
1948	47,403,000	4,390,763	1,695,997	15,077,103	3,549,025	6,365,642	24,991,770	40·5
1949	50,090,000	4,963,366	1,659,099	16,949,375	4,110,332	6,508,014	27,567,721	45·1
1950	58,390,000	4,732,969	1,651,474	20,321,433	3,915,558	6,532,645	30,769,636	49·9
1951	66,021,000	5,642,533	1,948,770	24,833,224	5,274,747	8,417,938	38,525,909	59·7
1952	70,080,103	4,605,675	1,419,617	35,680,153	4,962,518	6,422,613	47,065,284	72·0
1953	75,730,633	4,517,899	1,238,514	38,632,585	4,769,954	7,074,460	50,476,999	78·5
1954	84,215,062	4,193,977	1,517,013	42,805,020	4,394,926	8,028,359	55,228,305	85·9
1955	93,726,903	3,757,476	1,844,103	47,660,844	3,962,955	9,305,514	60,929,313	95·2
1956	92,500,973	4,152,334	1,811,459	56,060,433	4,377,362	9,931,530	70,369,325	106·9
1957	94,972,400	3,963,755	1,715,413	61,330,393	4,319,561	10,047,822	75,697,776	115·9
1958	94,322,699	4,108,361	1,757,962	60,637,089	4,739,747	10,523,093	75,899,929	115·2

* Excludes consumption and expenditure in Service canteens. † Includes quantities sold direct to the public by wholesale wine and spirit merchants.
‡ Liquid, not proof, gallons.

No. 43. Liquor Licences, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Current at 31st December.								Issued during Year.		
	Publicans'.	Club.	Restaurant.	Railway Refreshment.		Australian Wine.	Spirit Merchants'.	Packet.	Booth or Stand.	Brewers'.	Hotel and Club Permits.
				General Liquor.	Australian Wine.						
1948	2,028	337	74	43	12	347	408	2	3,047	6	260
1949	2,028	359	90	43	12	347	427	2	3,197	6	271
1950	2,028	376	99	43	11	347	456	3	3,328	6	293
1951	2,028	384	98	43	11	347	500	2	3,630	10	293
1952	2,028	388	110	43	11	347	539	2	3,848	9	312
1953	2,028	388	110	43	11	347	539	2	3,924	9	317
1954	2,028	395	121	44	11	347	584	...	4,685	8	367
1955	2,026	790	156	44	11	347	603	...	6,008	8	516
1956	2,025	928	166	43	12	347	590	7	6,554	7	424
1957	2,022	1,051	171	50		347	582	7	6,132	8	383
1958	2,021	1,125	180	46		347	580	10	6,433	7	426

No. 44. Liquor Licences: Fees Collected, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Assessed on Purchases during Year.*							Other.		
	Publicans'.	Club.	Restaurant.	Railway Refreshment.	Australian Wine.	Spirit Merchants'.	Packet.	Booth or Stand.	Brewers'.	Hotel and Club Permits.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1948	1,027,506	45,213	2,143	3,493	14,757	40,186	4	6,814	250	1,918
1949	1,032,962	59,831	2,986	2,921	17,232	45,138	23	6,896	250	2,164
1950	1,132,337	69,443	3,629	2,916	18,403	51,307	33	6,974	250	2,418
1951	1,276,846	75,345	3,781	3,036	18,025	55,555	52	7,464	400	2,654
1952	1,583,085	95,599	7,919	3,790	21,761	74,817	41	7,804	350	3,011
1953	1,959,851	127,716	8,193	4,684	21,268	84,386	48	7,935	350	3,709
1954	2,110,175	144,563	8,422	5,737	18,605	86,767	...	9,400	325	4,718
1955	2,315,968	197,333	9,596	6,215	16,258	91,978	18	12,050	400	6,865
1956	2,560,889	226,194	10,698	5,354	13,327	85,845	43	13,535	300	6,374
1957	2,918,472	340,438	12,413	4,439	14,243	84,114	54	12,243	350	7,807
1958	3,099,357	422,522	13,657	3,945	14,070	85,561	75	13,106	300	8,889

* Excludes fees for new licences.

No. 45. Drunkenness: Cases and Convictions*, 1948 to 1958

Year.	Persons Charged.	Persons Discharged, etc.	Persons Convicted.								
			Fined.	Imprisoned.	Other. †	Total.			Per 10,000 of Population.		
						Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1948	82,900	275	14,847	183	67,595	78,653	3,972	82,625	521	26	274
1949	78,401	195	15,010	101	63,095	74,568	3,638	78,206	481	24	253
1950	78,727	250	14,054	112	64,311	74,619	3,858	78,477	466	24	246
1951	83,178	341	13,172	108	69,557	78,865	3,972	82,837	478	24	253
1952	79,217	129	11,899	133	67,056	75,166	3,922	79,088	447	24	237
1953	72,765	118	12,157	244	60,246	69,122	3,525	72,647	406	21	215
1954	72,591	50	11,105	29	61,407	68,837	3,704	72,541	400	22	212
1955	81 199	742	13,239	54	67,164	76,277	4,180	80,457	435	24	230
1956	77,867	672	13,288	375	63,532	72,461	4,734	77,195	406	27	217
1957	76,700	747	13,731	99	62,123	70,965	4,988	75,953	390	28	210
1958	69,085	731	16,259	104	51,991	64,022	4,332	68,354	346	24	185

* Counted each time charged or convicted.
† Mainly bail forfeited.

No. 46. Examination of Weights and Measures, 1954–55 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Submitted for Verification.				Inspected at Traders' Premises.					
	Weights.	Measures.	Weighing Instruments.	Measuring Instruments.	Weights.	Measures.	Weighing Instruments.	Measuring Instruments.	Packages.	Deliveries.
					NUMBER EXAMINED					
1954	72,865	102,963	35,143	7,171	43,994	21,803	27,082	7,825	105,420	1,076
1955	68,799	99,134	34,681	6,124	38,740	24,665	24,142	6,694	103,753	382
1956	71,733	118,793	34,996	7,572	45,535	32,344	28,675	8,219	118,247	342
1957	66,150	107,761	35,799	7,075	41,044	26,774	31,718	7,708	106,741	773
1958	72,959	157,049	36,056	10,278	42,015	67,184	30,157	12,640	152,252	592
1959	72,778	136,502	36,072	11,782	43,360	63,176	31,098	13,782	156,138	382
					NUMBER CORRECT					
1954	68,035	100,361	30,715	5,255	23,063	16,622	15,616	1,162	90,334	798
1955	64,466	93,078	30,000	4,791	20,649	20,252	14,249	914	92,356	308
1956	66,830	113,536	30,113	5,868	23,093	26,757	17,243	1,323	106,066	293
1957	60,512	103,253	30,663	5,425	22,573	22,889	20,314	1,295	92,909	581
1958	68,489	155,481	31,835	7,521	22,500	63,106	17,906	1,960	133,678	484
1959	69,378	135,977	32,572	9,001	20,327	59,014	16,042	2,448	137,913	232
					NUMBER INCORRECT					
1954	4,830	2,602	4,428	1,916	20,931	5,181	11,466	6,663	15,086	278
1955	4,333	6,056	4,681	1,333	18,091	4,413	9,893	5,780	11,397	74
1956	4,903	5,257	4,883	1,704	22,442	5,587	11,432	6,896	12,181	49
1957	5,638	4,508	5,136	1,650	18,471	3,885	11,404	6,413	13,832	192
1958	4,470	1,568	4,221	2,757	19,515	4,078	12,251	10,680	18,574	108
1959	3,400	525	3,500	2,781	23,033	4,162	15,056	11,334	18,225	150

NOTE. Traders' premises visited in 1958–59 numbered 21,506 for inspection of weight and measure appliances, and 596 for weight of bread. The number of prosecutions under the Weights and Measures Act in 1958–59 was 366, and under the Bread Act, 28; fines imposed totalled £2,803 and fees collected, £29,942.

No. 47. Real Estate Agents, Stock and Station Agents, and Auctioneers, 1948-49 to 1958-59

Year ended 30th June.	Licences Applied for								Total Individual Licensees. †	Real Estate Salesmen Registered.	Fidelity Guarantee Fund.	
	Real Estate Agents.	Stock and Station Agents.	Corporations. *	Auctioneers.							Contributions during Year.	Balance at 30th June.
				General.	Country.	District.	Primary Products.	Total.				
											£	£
1949‡	2,995	1,972	163	350	352	1,235	18	1,955	4,021	141	4,145	39,665
1950‡	3,143	2,111	182	371	409	1,191	14	1,985	4,095	188	4,524	42,783
1951‡	3,804	2,358	229	437	494	1,462	15	2,408	4,776	285	5,382	46,753
1952	3,718	2,329	244	429	473	1,399	14	2,315	5,059	250	4,827	51,379
1953	3,757	2,369	273	435	477	1,432	12	2,356	5,420	303	4,770	55,046
1954	4,111	2,704	266	444	498	1,485	15	2,442	5,453	367	5,250	58,272
1955	4,485	2,658	322	501	509	1,299	10	2,319	5,723	443	6,051	59,596
1956	4,515	2,660	312	593	560	1,322	9	2,484	5,770	497	5,628	62,580
1957	4,797	2,662	348	610	684	1,337	8	2,639	6,165	498	5,845	60,171
1958	5,102	2,717	401	569	684	1,284	15	2,552	6,677	939	10,131	61,387
1959¶	5,251	2,542	456	560	606	1,314	20	2,500	8,407	1,694	12,174	66,598

* Licences issued to corporations acting as real estate agents, stock and station agents, or auctioneers.

† Includes employees of corporations.

‡ Licences issued.

¶ In this year, 1,516 business agents' licences and 590 business sub-agents' licences were applied for.

No. 48. Miscellaneous Licences Issued, 1953 to 1958

Class of Licence.	Number of Licences.						Amount Collected.					
	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.	1953.	1954.	1955.	1956.	1957.	1958.
							£	£	£	£	£	£
Pawnbrokers'	48	58	56	54	48	65	480	580	560	540	483	461
Moneylenders'	352	375	465	566	566	665	3,920	4,180	5,771	6,065	6,529	7,435
Hawkers' and Pedlars'	1,639	1,765	1,763	1,573	1,744	1,480	2,117	2,287	2,325	2,140	2,316	2,085
Second-hand Dealers' and Collectors' ...	2,642	2,857	2,818	2,880	2,860	2,661	1,568	1,658	1,602	1,678	1,750	1,577
Tobacco	24,494	24,733	25,651	24,222	25,634	27,121	6,124	6,183	6,413	6,056	6,409	6,780
Sunday Trading	9,583	10,565	10,189	10,218	10,403	10,212	2,558	2,810	2,794	5,990	10,655	10,389
Billiard	68	57	56	59	34	30	681	521	555	498	330	300
Business Agents'	1,138	1,380	1,309	807	1,070	790	1,457	1,794	1,775	1,143	1,587	3,100
Wool, Hide and Skin	373	197	439	368	368	413	357	196	435	363	364	409
Fishing Licences (Financial Year)												
Fishermen's	2,689	3,054	2,483	2,905	2,613	2,848	2,689	3,054	2,483	2,905	2,613	2,848
Fishing Boat	2,387	2,829	2,218	2,602	2,552	2,625	3,312	3,991	3,523	3,027	3,822	3,822
Oyster Vendors'	547	554	550	390	485	515	137	138	138	98	121	129
Trout	17,307	14,824	14,824	16,819	22,308	21,174†	8,067	6,999	7,000	8,017	10,386	9,770†
Anglers'	...	...	...	...	...	37,350†	...	...	...	...	...	37,350†
Pistol Licences—												
Dealers	70	76	88	102	129	115	70	76	88	102	129	115
Other	9,817	11,072	9,379	10,043	10,275	10,520	4,832	5,466	4,609	4,928	5,054	5,156
Dog Licences*	134,938	123,004	115,007	131,105	125,728	118,416	16,859	15,234	14,343	14,775	15,445	14,830

* Licences are issued in principal urban areas only.

† Trout licences were replaced by Anglers' licences from 1st January, 1958.

No. 49. Cost of Police Services in New South Wales, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Salaries.		Contribution to Superannuation Fund.	Other. Expenditure.	Total Expenditure.		
	Police Force.	Administrative and General.			From Consolidated Revenue.	From Road Transport Funds. *	Total Expenditure.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1949	2,222,622	130,816	290,219	681,389	2,891,069	433,977	3,325,046
1950	2,660,579	175,637	316,160	859,765	3,287,720	724,421	4,012,141
1951	2,933,440	201,069	324,405	840,431	3,521,937	777,408	4,299,345
1952	3,696,597	269,126	355,000	1,037,080	4,509,946	847,857	5,357,803
1953	4,136,107	316,855	445,000	1,168,554	5,233,015	833,501	6,066,516
1954	4,238,300	332,356	491,000	1,293,690	5,459,346	896,000	6,355,346
1955	4,592,150	362,627	533,751	1,244,327	5,671,005	1,061,850	6,732,855
1956	5,291,251	389,516	688,038	1,218,397	6,588,414	998,788	7,587,202
1957	5,595,117	420,313	753,000	1,488,139	6,739,431	1,517,138	8,256,569
1958	5,807,841	426,488	801,500	1,843,981	7,290,909	1,588,901	8,879,810
1959	6,260,739	511,828	922,000	1,939,489	7,985,226	1,648,830	9,634,056

* Current cost of services rendered by police in controlling traffic, registering vehicles and licensing drivers, etc.

No. 50. Police Force of New South Wales at 30th June, 1958 and 1959

Classification.	Total at 30th June, 1958.	At 30th June, 1959.					
		Commissioner and Superintendents.	Inspectors.	Sergeants.	Constables.	Other.	Total.
General	3,380	29	92	919	2,462	...	3,502
Criminal Investigation Branch	268	3	5	95	167	...	270
Others on Detective Work ...	614	...	3	195	429	...	627
Traffic	593	1	6	89	486	...	582
Water	31	...	...	7	24	...	31
Total of Foregoing ...	4,886	33	106	1,305	3,568	...	5,012
Cadets	171	...	...	...	...	158	158
Police women	46	...	...	...	...	48	48
Matrons	4	...	...	...	...	4	4
Trackers and Cadet Trackers ...	7	...	...	...	...	5	5
Special Constables	27	...	...	...	...	27	27
Parking Police	98	...	...	...	...	98	98
Total	5,239	33	106	1,305	3,568	340	5,352

No. 51. Police Stations and Number of Police, 1948 to 1959

At 31st December.	Police Stations.	Number of Police.*			At 31st December.	Police Stations.	Number of Police.*		
		Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.			Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
1948	454	2,978	1,173	4,151	1954	472	3,161	1,298	4,459
1949	457	3,006	1,200	4,206	1955	479	3,127	1,480	4,607
1950	460	3,087	1,205	4,292	1956	478	3,236	1,464	4,700
1951	460	3,117	1,226	4,343	1957	484	3,293	1,531	4,824
1952	466	3,234	1,255	4,489	1958†	485	3,249	1,637	4,886
1953	469	3,214	1,271	4,485	1959†	489	3,325	1,687	5,012

* Exclusive of police cadets, policewomen, matrons, trackers, special constables, and parking police.
† At 30th June.

No. 52. Prisons of New South Wales: Finances, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year ended 30th June.	Receipts.			Expenditure.			
				From Revenue.			From Loans (Gross).
	Proceeds from Prison Industries.	Other.	Total.	Salaries and Wages.	Other. *	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1949	137,718	1,072	138,790	261,981	279,891	541,872	15,821
1950	146,832	1,441	148,273	307,706	326,734	634,440	26,466
1951	169,122	1,081	170,203	338,814	398,744	737,558	28,824
1952	229,484	1,887	231,371	437,735	518,037	955,772	29,094
1953	279,344	2,086	281,430	483,516	581,175	1,064,691	39,473
1954	278,014	6,579	284,593	501,194	618,834	1,120,028	87,980
1955	310,152	2,506	312,658	554,129	586,458	1,140,587	94,572
1956	324,305	2,192	326,497	586,741	615,049	1,201,790	65,732
1957	373,082	1,068	374,150	638,861	772,488	1,411,349	62,199
1958	381,373	1,964	383,337	664,938	824,234	1,489,172	119,689
1959	384,826	1,283	386,109	775,576	796,067	1,571,643	229,057

*Includes expenditure on materials for prison industries.

No. 53. Prisons of New South Wales: Gaols and Prisoners, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Gaols at end of Year.	Prisoners Received under Sentence during Year. (Counted each time received.)			Distinct Persons Received under Sentence during Year.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1948	15	7,238	867	8,105	4,761	405	5,166
1949	15	7,450	918	8,368	4,569	433	5,002
1950	15	7,210	882	8,092	4,671	410	5,081
1951	15	7,636	890	8,526	4,781	438	5,219
1952	15	7,403	835	8,238	5,410	421	5,831
1953	15	8,221	772	8,993	5,767	395	6,162
1954	16	6,903	796	7,699	4,795	390	5,185
1955	16	8,137	881	9,018	5,329	411	5,740
1956	16	10,098	1,279	11,377	6,199	446	6,645
1957	17	11,024	1,326	12,350	7,028	502	7,530
1958	17*	11,910	1,487	13,397	7,540	566	8,106

* Comprising 6 Principal Gaols, 8 Special Establishments, 1 Minor Gaol, and 2 Police Gaols.
NOTE. Gaol libraries contained 33,000 volumes at 30th June, 1958.

No. 54. Prisons of New South Wales: Prisoners and Sentences, 1947–48 to 1957–58

Year ended 30th June.	Period of Sentence.											Total (counted each time received).	Distinct Persons.
	3 months and under.	Over 3 months to 6 months.	Over 6 months to 12 months.	Over 1 year to 2 years.	Over 2 years to 5 years.	Over 5 years to 10 years.	Over 10 years. *	Habitual Criminals (Indeterm. Stage).	Maintenance Confinees.	No Term Specified. †	Debtors.		
Received into Gaol under Sentence during the Year													
1948	6,056	623	424	340	215	27	36	...	347	33	4	8,105	5,166
1949	6,429	553	393	295	201	23	21	...	325	114	14	8,368	5,002
1950	6,101	620	395	309	164	24	20	...	345	93	21	8,092	5,081
1951	6,651	567	327	274	155	10	23	...	284	222	13	8,526	5,219
1952	6,146	717	374	278	216	19	21	...	277	167	23	8,238	5,831
1953	6,586	786	487	344	213	18	17	...	375	146	21	8,993	6,162
1954	5,468	666	413	360	233	26	32	...	354	132	15	7,699	5,185
1955	6,679	755	441	357	270	11	15	...	369	96	25	9,018	5,740
1956	8,275	922	583	509	405	57	26	...	445	129	26	11,377	6,645
1957	9,110	956	541	566	413	58	22	...	554	87	43	12,350	7,530
1958	10,138	1,020	800	359	342	46	13	...	571	52	56	13,397	8,106
Under Sentence at 30th June													
1948	254	184	252	290	274	69	119	39	92	14	...	...	1,587
1949	215	196	241	335	383	88	130	36	71	20	2	..	1,717
1950	299	216	236	344	396	94	132	35	91	10	1	...	1,854
1951	284	227	263	363	393	96	141	53	61	4	...	...	1,885
1952	324	256	292	367	382	97	136	60	86	69	1	...	2,070
1953	269	246	306	391	437	92	149	86	110	49	...	...	2,135
1954	267	247	263	388	463	92	161	104	113	57	...	...	2,155
1955	299	267	249	404	490	77	161	113	109	69	1	...	2,239
1956	351	351	341	545	660	120	157	104	139	92	...	...	2,860
1957	397	326	343	661	816	150	170	...	166	19	2	...	3,050
1958	404	363	536	643	832	175	155	...	2‡	14	2	...	3,126

* Including "Life", "Death", and "Governor's Pleasure". Capital punishment was abolished in December, 1954.
† Including prohibited migrants.
‡ Confinees recommitted to gaol for breach of conditions of release. Other confinees are included under a specific period of sentence

No. 55. Prisons of New South Wales: Sentences of Prisoners Received into Gaol under Sentence, 1956-57 and 1957-58

Period of Sentence. (Cumulative sentences are returned as equal to their united length. Concurrent sentences are returned as equal to one of them, or to the longer when they are of unequal length.)	1956–57.			1957–58.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males	Females.	Persons.
Not exceeding 1 week	4,857	926	5,783	5,423	1,004	6,427
Over 1 week and not exceeding 1 month ...	1,637	215	1,852	1,899	261	2,160
,, 1 month and not exceeding 3 months ...	1,366	109	1,475	1,408	143	1,551
,, 3 months ,, ,, 6 ,, ...	915	41	956	970	50	1,020
,, 6 ,, ,, ,, 12 ,, ...	529	12	541	785	15	800
,, 1 year and not exceeding 2 years	558	8	566	351	8	359
,, 2 years ,, ,, 5 ,, ...	409	4	413	340	2	342
,, 5 ,, ,, ,, 10 ,, ...	58	...	58	46	...	46
Exceeding 10 years	5	...	5	6	...	6
Governor's Pleasure	2	5	7	3	...	3
Life*	9	1	10	4	...	4
Maintenance Confinees	554	...	554	571	...	571
No term specified (mainly Prohibited Migrants)...	87	...	87	51	1	52
Debtors	38	5	43	53	3	56
Total (Counted each time received) ...	11,024	1,326	12,350	11,910	1,487	13,397
Distinct Persons	7,028	502	7,530	7,540	566	8,106

* Including "Death" sentences. Capital punishment was abolished in December, 1954.

No. 56. Prisons of New South Wales: Sentences of Prisoners in Gaol at 30th June, 1957 and 1958

Period of Sentence. (Cumulative sentences are returned as equal to their united length. Concurrent sentences are returned as equal to one of them, or to the longer when they are of unequal length.)	1957.			1958.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Not exceeding 1 week	23	2	25	27	9	36
Over 1 week and not exceeding 1 month ..	80	12	92	74	5	79
,, 1 month ,, ,, 3 months ...	249	31	280	260	29	289
,, 3 months ,, ,, 6 ,, ...	310	16	326	348	15	363
,, 6 ,, ,, ,, 12 ,, ...	335	8	343	528	8	536
,, 1 year and not exceeding 2 years ...	654	7	661	637	6	643
,, 2 years ,, ,, 5 ,, ...	809	7	816	824	8	832
,, 5 ,, ,, ,, 10 ,, ...	149	1	150	175	...	175
Exceeding 10 years	45	1	46	42	1	43
Governor's Pleasure	14	4	18	8	1	9
Life*	102	4	106	100	3	103
Maintenance Confinees	166	...	166	2†	...	2†
No term specified ... ... / Prohibited Migrants	18	1	19	14	...	14
Debtors	2	...	2	2	...	2
Total	2,956	94	3,050	3,041	85	3,126

* See note *, Table 55.
† Confinees recommitted to gaol for breach of conditions of release. Other confinees are included under a specific period of sentence.

No. 57. Ages of Prisoners* Received into Gaol under Sentence, 1947-48 to 1957-58

Year ended 30th June.	Under 21 Years.	21—24 Years.	25—29 Years.	30—34 Years.	35—39 Years.	40—44 Years.	45—49 Years.	50 Years and over.	Age not stated.	Total Prisoners.
1948	632	835	905	744	778	887	875	2,447	2	8,105
1949	507	844	809	785	735	911	911	2,856	10	8,368
1950	486	758	965	798	725	918	888	2,535	19	8,092
1951	474	739	918	790	821	910	931	2,930	13	8,526
1952	550	788	982	849	767	831	904	2,538	29	8,238
1953	524	738	1,039	968	886	1,023	966	2,814	35	8,993
1954	443	591	824	822	753	839	930	2,469	28	7,699
1955	547	673	850	965	899	1,073	910	3,075	26	9,018
1956	710	766	1,115	1,408	1,266	1,323	1,181	3,571	37	11,377
1957	888	798	1,135	1,436	1,290	1,419	1,402	3,900	82	12,350
1958	888	847	1,148	1,394	1,572	1,671	1,706	4,069	102	13,397

* Counted each time received.

No. 58. Age and Sex of Prisoners under Sentence, 1957-58

Age.	Sentenced Prisoners Received during Year *			Prisoners in Gaol at end of Year †		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Under 21 years	794	94	888	513	14	527
21 to 24 years	771	76	847	441	11	452
25 „ 29 „	1,058	90	1,148	554	11	565
30 „ 34 „	1,299	95	1,394	430	12	442
35 „ 39 „	1,411	161	1,572	353	10	363
40 „ 44 „	1,463	208	1,671	263	8	271
45 „ 49 „	1,453	253	1,706	185	7	192
50 „ 59 „	2,280	307	2,587	213	10	223
60 „ 69 „	1,072	162	1,234	58	2	60
70 years and over	210	38	248	14	...	14
Not stated	99	3	102	17	...	17
Total	11,910	1,487	13,397	3,041	85	3,126

* Counted each time received
† Excludes persons on remand and trial.

No. 59. Ages and Sentences of Maintenance Confinees* Received into Gaol during 1957–58

Age.	Period of Sentence.						
	Under 1 month.	1 to 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 9 months.	9 months and over.	Recommitted Confinees.	Total
Under 21 years	...	6	2	...	1	...	9
21 to 24 years	3	10	5	...	8	1	27
25 „ 29 „	1	17	17	19	24	1	79
30 „ 34 „	5	27	24	9	59	1	125
35 „ 39 „	2	15	21	19	53	...	110
40 „ 44 „	3	15	15	15	43	2	93
45 „ 49 „	1	12	19	14	26	1	73
50 years and over	1	7	16	5	25	1	55
Total	16	109	119	81	239	7	571

* Counted each time received.

No. 60. Ages and Offences of Prisoners* Received into Gaol under Sentence, 1957–58

Type of Offence.	Age in Years.									
	Under 21.	21 to 24.	25 to 29.	30 to 34.	35 to 39.	40 to 44.	45 to 49.	50 and over.	Not Stated.	Total.
Against the Person	81	79	117	108	75	73	43	57	3	636
Against Property —										
With Violence	177	135	158	100	79	53	33	24	7	766
Without Violence	380	311	342	284	239	171	154	259	7	2,147
Against Good Order	176	209	347	674	947	1,200	1,355	3,587	30	8,525
Against Traffic Laws	36	48	34	38	44	18	13	17	1	249
Other	38	65	150	190	188	156	108	125	54	1,074
Total, All Offences	888	847	1,148	1,394	1,572	1,671	1,706	4,069	102	13,397

* Counted eachtime received.

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No. 61. Previous Convictions* of Prisoners† Received into Gaol under Sentence, 1957–58

Offence.	Not Previously Convicted.	Previously Convicted, Not Imprisoned.	Previously Imprisoned.			Total.		
			Once.	Twice.	More than Twice.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Against the Person—								
Murder and Attempt	3	1	...	...	3	7	...	7
Manslaughter (excl. driving)	10	...	5	1	...	15	1	16
Malicious wounding	9	3	1	2	3	16	2	18
Robbery	19	5	5	3	12	43	1	44
Assault	104	35	46	24	85	276	18	294
Sexual Offences...	73	13	9	4	10	109	...	109
Indecent Assault on Male	17	9	6	3	8	43	...	43
Other	43	19	19	7	17	104	1	105
Total, Against the Person	278	85	91	44	138	613	23	636
Against Property—								
Breaking and Entering	138	107	89	64	267	661	4	665
Larceny	308	201	207	109	557	1,309	73	1,382
Embezzlement	13	4	3	1	2	21	2	23
False Pretences	60	44	38	29	91	246	16	262
Forgery and Currency Offences ...	5	7	3	...	4	13	6	19
Receiving	40	15	23	13	63	149	5	154
Illegally using Motor Vehicle or Boat	52	21	25	12	40	147	3	150
Other	64	20	35	14	125	238	20	258
Total, Against Property	680	419	423	242	1,149	2,784	129	2,913
Against Good Order—								
Drunkenness	484	146	388	294	4,797	5,158	951	6,109
Vagrancy	151	86	160	103	668	968	200	1,168
Riotous Behaviour, etc.	120	43	63	36	216	401	77	478
Other	120	25	89	54	482	684	86	770
Total, Against Good Order	875	300	700	487	6,163	7,211	1,314	8,525
Traffic Offences	103	37	50	17	42	249	...	249
Maintenance confinees	223	60	106	52	130	570	1	571
Other	243	48	57	29	126	483	20	503
Total, All Offences	2,402	949	1,427	871	7,748	11,910	1,487	13,397

* Previous convictions for offences of any kind.
† Counted each time received.

No. 62. Marital Status of Prisoners* Received into Gaol under Sentence, 1954–55 to 1957–58

Marital Status.	1954–55.	1955–56.	1956–57.			1957–58.		
			Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Single	6,276	7,576	8,049	438	8,487	8,769	495	9,264
Married...	2,440	3,345	2,724	630	3,354	2,976	692	3,668
Widowed or divorced ...	280	432	195	253	448	99	297	396
Not stated (maintenance confinees and debtors) ...	22	24	56	5	61	66	3	69
Total	9,018	11,377	11,024	1,326	12,350	11,910	1,487	13,397

* Counted each time received.

No. 63. Birthplaces of Prisoners* Received into Gaol under Sentence, 1954–55 to 1957–58

Birthplace.	1954–55.	1955–56.	1956–57.			1957–58.		
			Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
New South Wales ...	6,102	7,479	7,115	954	8,069	7,571	1,068	8,639
Other Australian States ...	1,205	1,649	1,508	227	1,735	1,660	240	1,900
New Zealand	202	226	171	24	195	163	40	203
United Kingdom	1,024	1,238	1,083	59	1,142	1,183	102	1,285
Europe	364	662	979	43	1,022	1,116	18	1,134
Africa	14	18	22	2	24	26	8	34
Asia	45	50	24	3	27	21	5	26
Canada	16	13	15	5	20	47	1	48
Other American	23	17	17	...	17	15	1	16
Unspecified	23	25	90	9	99	108	4	112
Total	9,018	11,377	11,024	1,326	12,350	11,910	1,487	13,397

* Counted each time received.

No. 64. Sentences of First Offenders, 1957–58

Period of Sentence	Under Sentence at 1st July, 1957			Received into Goal during 1957–58		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Not exceeding 1 week	1	...	1	544	36	580
Over 1 week and not exceeding 1 month ...	13	2	15	471	25	496
Over 1 month and not exceeding 3 months ...	61	2	63	403	17	420
Over 3 months and not exceeding 6 months ...	67	2	69	243	4	247
Over 6 months and not exceeding 12 months ...	115	1	116	291	7	298
Over 1 year and not exceeding 2 years	109	3	112	169	2	171
Over 2 years and not exceeding 5 years ...	129	3	132	97	1	98
Over 5 years and not exceeding 10 years ...	38	1	39	10	...	10
Over 10 years	18	1	19	1	...	1
Life	34	2	36	1	...	1
Governor's Pleasure	2	3	5	1	...	1
Other...	1	...	1	75	4	79
Total	588	20	608	2,306	96	2,402

No. 65. Prisoners in Gaol at 30th June, 1948 to 1958

At 30th June.	Number in Custody.									Debtors.				Number of Prisoners under Sentence per 10,000 of Population.
	Tried (under Sentence).			Untried.			Total (including Debtors)			Received into Gaol during year preceding Date shown.		In Gaol at End of Year.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1948	1,540	47	1,587	141	4	145	1,681	51	1,732	4	...	..	..	5.3
1949	1,665	52	1,717	99	5	104	1,764	57	1,821	14	...	2	...	5.6
1950	1,796	58	1,854	100	5	105	1,896	63	1,959	21	...	1	...	5.8
1951	1,816	69	1,885	29	2	31	1,845	71	1,916	13	...		...	5.8
1952	2,002	68	2,070	147	7	154	2,149	75	2,224	22	1	1	...	6.2
1953	2,091	44	2,135	89	7	96	2,180	51	2,231	21	...	..	...	6.3
1954	2,079	76	2,155	88	10	98	2,167	86	2,253	15	...	...	.	6.3
1955	2,171	68	2,239	114	5	119	2,285	73	2,358	25	...	...	1	6.4
1956	2,770	90	2,860	159	12	171	2,929	102	3,031	26	...	...	...	8.0
1957	2,956	94	3,050	129	10	139	3,085	104	3,189	38	5	2	...	8.4
1958	3,041	85	3,126	194	11	205	3,235	96	3,331	53	3	2	...	8.5

No. 66. All Prisoners Received and Released during the Year, 1952–53 to 1957–58

Particulars.	1952-53.	1953-54.	1954-55.	1955-56.	1956-57.	1957-58
In Gaol at beginning of year*	2,224	2,231	2,253	2,359	3,031	3,189
Received during year†	12,323	10,593	12,260	15,054	17,723	18,093
Total in Gaol during year ...	14,547	12,824	14,513	17,413	20,754	21,282
Released during Year‡—						
Sentence Expiry	6,105	5,033	6,162	7,721	8,238	9,206
Remission of Sentence	984	744	753	766	1,551	2,067
On Licence	631	808	683	590	723	209
Special Authority on Licence ...	150	151	196	151		141
Special Authority without Licence ...	173	101	134	191	122	
Payment of Fines and Order Satisfied	712	615	738	952	1,146	1,257
Transferred to Other Institutions ...	21	27	14	16	47	54
Died	8	7	14	8	12	16
Escaped	4	4	9	7	5	14
Habitual Criminals on Licence ...	19	15	31	16	25	65
Otherwise, including Unconvicted, etc.	3,509	3,066	3,421	3,964	5,696	4,922
Total Released	12,316	10,571	12,155	14,382	17,565	17,951
In Gaol at end of year*—						
On Remand and Trial	96	98	119	171	139	205
Under Sentence	2,135	2,155	2,239	2,860	3,050	3,126

* Distinct Persons.
† Counted each time received.
‡ Counted each time released.

SECTION IV. PRICES AND WAGES

No. 1. Average Wholesale Prices*, Sydney, 1956–57 to 1958–59

Commodity	Description	Unit of Measurement	1956–57	1957–58	1958–59
FOOD					
MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Milk : Fresh	Milk Bds. Agent to Vendor	gal.	5 7·1	5 11¾	5 11¾
Condensed	Gold Medal	4 doz.	4 6 0	4 3 10	4 6 4
Powdered	Sunshine 12 oz.	3 doz.	5 12 6	5 10 10	5 17 0
Cheese	Av. loaf & large	lb.	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 7¾
Butter	Choice	lb.	4 2	4 2	4 4
MEAT					
Beef	Ox & heifer 451–720 lb.	lb.	1 6·8	1 6·5	1 8·3
Mutton	Wethers	,,	1 2·0	11·6	10·0
Lamb	Av. under & over 36 lb.	,,	2 0·4	1 11·5	1 8·5
Pork	Under 100 lb. dressed	,,	3 2·8	2 9·1	3 0·1
Veal	Av. light and heavy	,,	1 9·4	1 9·3	1 11·5
Bacon	Sides	,,	4 10·4	4 5·1	4 4
Ham	Uncooked	,,	5 9·4	5 4·6	5 5·3
Canned Meat	Corned Beef 12 oz.	doz.	1 9 6	1 10 6	1 12 0
EGGS					
Eggs	First quality hen	doz.	5 4·9	5 3·3	5 5·7
FATS					
Margarine : Table	...	lb.	2 3·8	2 4·8	2 6·5
Other	...	lb.	1 6·4	1 6·5	1 6
SUGAR AND SYRUPS					
Sugar	Refined AI.	ton	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0
Golden Syrup	C.S.R. 2 lb. tin	2 doz.	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0
Treacle	C.S.R. 2 lb. tin	2 doz.	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2
Honey	First grade, in 60lb. tins	lb.	1 3	1 3·1	1 3
NON-SEASONAL VEGETABLES†					
Potatoes	Local, ex trucks Alexandria	ton	70 1 6§	20 16 10§	25 16 2
Onions	Brown, ,, ,, ,,	ton	69 3 1	30 3 0	36 15 2
FRUIT PRODUCTS					
Jam	Plum 24 oz.	doz.	1 9 8	1 12 0	1 9 7
Currants	Dried 4 crown ‖	lb.	1 7·4	1 9·4	1 10¼
Sultanas	Dried 4 crown ‖	,,	1 7·8	1 9·9	1 10¾
Dates	...	,,	1 6·0	1 8·6	1 10·2
Apricots	Dried	,,	4 0·8	4 4·3	4 8·3
Prunes	60/70 7lb. tin	,,	2 7·3	2 7·7	2 8
Peaches, Canned	30 oz.	doz.	1 15 10	2 0 6	1 18 10
Pears, Canned	30 oz.	doz.	1 17 10	1 19 3	1 16 0
Pineapples, Canned	30 oz.	,,	1 19 0	2 0 0	1 17 11
GRAIN PRODUCTS					
Flour‡: Plain	150 lb. sacks	ton	36 2 6	42 17 6	40 9 4
Self-raising	2 lb. pkt.	doz.	17 1	19 3·9	18 9
Rice	Milled	ton	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0
Breakfast Food —					
Wheat Flakes	Weeties 8 oz.	doz.	13 10	15 7·2	15 7
Maize	Kellogg's Corn Flakes 16 oz.	,,	1 10 11	1 11 11	1 11 11
Cornflour	Wade's 16 oz.	lb.	1 8·8	1 9·3	1 9·6
Sago	...	cwt.	10 5 9	5 12 0	4 11 9
BEVERAGES					
Tea	Bushell's	lb.	6 5·5	5 11·2	6 1·6
Coffee	Bushell's, 25% Chicory	lb.	6 0	6 0	6 0
Cocoa	Bourneville ½'s	doz.	1 14 4	1 13 0	1 15 2½
CONDIMENTS					
Pepper	White 2 oz.	doz.	14 2·5	12 3·4	12 10·7
Vinegar	Champion 26 oz.	doz.	1 11 9	1 7 1	1 7 0
ALCOHOLIC DRINKS					
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Beer	Bulk	Hogshead	32 4 4	32 8 8	32 8 8
	Bottled Lager, 26 oz.	doz.	1 10 5	1 10 8	1 10 8
Wine	Fortified, average of 3 types	,,	2 10 10	2 11 9	2 15 10
	Unfortified, average of 4 types	,,	2 14 11	2 16 3	2 16 3
Whisky	Australian	,,	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 19 4
	Imported	,,	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10
Brandy	Australian	,,	8 17 5	8 1 5	8 1 5
Rum	Australian O.P.	,,	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0
Gin	Australian	,,	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0
TOBACCO ¶					
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cigarettes	Capstan plain	1,000	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6
	Ardath cork tipped	1,000	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0
Pipe Tobacco	Flake Cut : dark	lb.	1 13 5	1 13 9	1 14 11
	bright	,,	1 14 2	1 14 6	1 15 8
Cigarette Tobacco	Fine Cut	,,	1 14 2	1 14 6	1 15 8
	Ready Rubbed	,,	1 14 8	1 15 1	1 16 3

* Wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated.
† Agent to wholesale merchant.
‡ To manufacturer or retailer.
¶ Factory to wholesaler.
§ Includes quotes for Victorian-grown potatoes when none were available for potatoes grown in New South Wales.
‖ Prior to March, 1958, this grade was described as 3 crown.

No. 1. Average Wholesale Prices*, Sydney, 1956-57 to 1958-59 (*continued*)

Commodity	Description	Unit of Measurement	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59
FUEL AND POWER					
	GAS AND ELECTRICITY		d.	d.	d.
Gas †	A.G.L. Domestic General Rate —				
	First 1,200 units per Qtr.	Unit	1·051‡	1·123	1·123
	Next 1,800 units per Qtr.	,,		1·049	1·049
Electricity †, S.C.C.	Residence Rate —				
	First 30 units per qtr.	kWh	5·940	6·250	6·250
	Next 70 units per qtr.	,,	4·065	4.250	4.250
	Cooking : all units in excess of 100 per qtr.	,,	1·950	1·992	1·889
	Non-cooking : all units in excess of 100 per qtr.	,,	2·375	2·392	2.289
	Industrial kVA, High Voltage, Option I ¶ —				
	All kWh in excess of 3,000,000 per annum	,,	1·625	1·514	1·388
	General Supply Rate —				
	4th block : all units in excess of 15,000 per quarter	,,	4·000	3·650	3.488
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Coke	Ex Works	ton	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
	LIQUID FUEL				
Motor Spirit	Bulk	gal.	3 3·8	3 2·7	3 1¼
Diesoline	44-gal. drum	,,	2 1·2	3 0§	3 1½
Motor Oil	44-gal. drum	,,	8 6½	8 8·5	8 10½
Power Kerosene	44-gal. drum	,,	2 9·6	2 4	2 4
Lighting Kerosene	44 gal. drum	,,	2 3·3	2 4	2 3½
Diesel Fuel	Bulk	ton	22 14 10	23 14 0	23 0 0
Furnace Oil	Bulk	,,	15 14 6	16 14 6	15 17 6
Tar Fuel	Bulk, Ex Works	gal.	1 0·6	1 1·1	1 1·1
BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS					
	TIMBER ‖		£ s. d.	£ s. d	£ s. d.
Hardwood	Merchantable 3″ x 2″, 6 ft. to 21 ft.	100 Sup. ft.	8 4 2	8 4 6	8 5 4
Oregon	Merchantable 2″ x 2″ to 12″ x 6″, 24 ft. to 30 ft.	,,	10 3 6	9 9 7	8 13 0
Hardwood Flooring	4″ x 1″, 10 to 15% moisture content	,,	11 18 6	11 19 6	11 19 10
	BRICKS, TILES, ETC.				
Bricks	Common at Kiln	1,000	14 6 3	14 8 2	14 12 3
Tiles	Terra-cotta, over 6 sqs., Ex Works	Square	6 4 8 ‡‡	6 5 5 ‡‡	6 6 10
Stoneware Pipes	6 inches, Ex Works	2 ft.	7 2·6	7 3	7 3
	PAINT				
Oil Paint	4 or 5 gal. drum	gal.	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 7 3
Varnish	Fine Hard Oak, 4 or 5 gal. drum	,,	1 10 4	1 11 2	1 11 7
Lacquer	4 or 5 gal. drum	,,	2 15 7	2 16 2	2 15 6
Synthetic	Exterior, 1-gallon tin	,,	2 11 8	2 13 7	2 14 0
	Enamel, 1 gallon tin	,,	2 11 11	3 0 2	3 1 8
	CEMENT AND CEMENT PRODUCTS				
Cement	Portland, Ex works, 15 tons and over	ton	8 6 4	8 8 6	8 11 1
Asbestos Cement ‖	Building Sheets	sq. yd.	5 5.4	5 6	5 6.6
	OTHER				
Quicklime ‖	Rock, R.K. Portland	bag	1 0 10	1 1 9	1 3 0
Bitumen	Road Grades, bulk, to consumer	ton	23 5 5	24 0 7	24 2 0
Glass **	Window, 21 oz. to 80 united ins.	sq. ft.	2 0	2 0·3	2 0·8
Blue Metal	Crushed ¾ ins. to contractor or distributor	ton	2 1 11	2 2 5	2 4 7
METAL AND BASIC METAL PRODUCTS					
	IRON AND STEEL, BASIC FORMS ††		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Pig Iron	Foundry	ton	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6
Plates and Sheets	Sheared Plates	,,	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6
Structural Steel Shapes		,,	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0
Rails	Heavy	,,	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0
Merchant Bars	Including rods and rounds	,,	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0
Black Strip	In Coils	,,	41 10 0	41 13 4	43 10 0
	IRON AND STEEL, BASIC PRODUCTS				
Fencing Wire	Galv. 10 g.	ton	67 18 9	66 13 9	66 13 9
	Barbed 12½g. Iowa	reel	3 11 2	3 10 0	3 10 0
Wire Netting	42″ x 1½″ x 17g.	100 yds.	8 5 4	8 12 0	8 12 0
Sheets ‡‡	Black plain 20 g. ¶¶	ton	69 10 0	70 15 0	71 10 0
	Galv. Corrugated 26g.— List Price	,,	88 12 6	97 3 0	97 15 10
	Galv. Plain 24g.— List Price §§	,,	85 12 6	95 0 0	96 19 7
Nails	Bright 9g.	cwt.	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6
Pipes and Tubes ‡‡	Seamless for boiler tubes	ft.	3 9·8	5 1·1	5 1·1
Pipes : Water ‡‡	Welded Steel, galv. ¾″	100 ft.	4 1 3	4 1 5	4 1 4
Gas ‡‡	Welded Steel, black ¾″	,,	3 10 10	3 11 0	3 12 3
Soil	Cast Iron, ¼″ x 4″ diam.	4 ft.	2 0 2	2 1 6	2 1 6
Pipe Fittings ‡‡	Steel Tees, galv. ¾″	each	2 8·3	2 9·6	3 3·9

* Wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise specified.
† To consumer.
‡ General Service Rate until November, 1956; thereafter, average of prices for first 1,200 units and next 1,800 units at General Service Rate.
¶ Prior to January, 1958, Industrial kVA High Voltage (All Purposes). Maximum demand charge : Until January, 1957, £8 5s. per annum per kVA of maximum demand ; thereafter, £9 per annum.
§ From 13th September, 1957, excise duty of 1s. per gallon was imposed on diesoline used for road transport purposes.
‖ List retail price.
** To builders. See also note ††, page 85.
†† C.i.f. Capital Australian Ports.
‡‡ Factory to wholesaler.
¶¶ See notes ††, page 81 and ¶, page 85.
§§ See notes ‡‡, page 81, and **, page 85.

No. 1. Average Wholesale Prices*, Sydney, 1956-57 to 1958-59 (*continued*)

Commodity	Description	Unit of Measurement	1956-57			1957-58			1958-59		
METAL AND BASIC METAL PRODUCTS (*continued*)											
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
LEAD											
Lead Piping †	1″ in coils	ton	186	1	3	164	17	11	155	0	0
Lead Sheets †	3 lb. in rolls	,,	181	11	3	160	7	11	150	10	0
Pig Lead	f.o.b. Port Pirie	,,	134	11	0	94	16	2	93	8	4
COPPER											
Pipes and Tubes	$1\frac{1}{32}$ ext. x 13 s.w.g. Ex works ...	lb.		4	8·8		4	5·0		4	2·8
Sheets †	6′ x 3′, 24g. hard rolled, ½ hard alloy	,,		5	1·4		4	10·6		4	8·6
Cable	Taped, Ex works	100 yds.	1	2	11	1	3	0	1	2	7
ALUMINIUM											
Aluminium Sheet	22g. (6 x 2 to 8 x 3 ft.) to distributor	lb.		4	9¾		4	10·6		4	11½
PAPER											
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Newsprint	U.K., Landed Cost	ton	93	16	2	94	1	0	97	0	0 ¶
	Australian, Landed Cost	,,	84	9	0	87	0	6	86	6	6
Printing, Machine Finished ...	Burnie, Tasmania, Mill Price ...	lb.		1	5·3		1	5½		1	6·4
Brown Kraft	Wrapping, 20 x 30 in., 20 lb., 480's ...	ton	180	4	9	182	15	0	182	15	0
Plain Chipboard	·030 Caliper	,,	90	0	0	90	0	0	90	0	0 §
Writing	White Bank, Imported	lb.		2	4·4		2	5·2		2	1·9 ¶
OTHER MATERIALS											
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
BASIC CHEMICALS											
Caustic Soda	Bulk	cwt.	7	0	8	7	1	9	7	1	9
Soda Ash	Ex Wharf to Consumer	ton	39	5	4	41	0	2	41	0	2
PLASTIC MATERIALS ‡											
Phenol Formaldehyde Moulding Powders.	General Purpose	lb.		2	11		2	11		2	11
Urea Formaldehyde Moulding Powders.	Direct Process Grade	,,		3	4¼		3	4¼		3	4¼
Cellulose Acetate Moulding Powders.	General Purpose, Opaque	,,		4	9		4	8·5		4	8
Polyvinyl Chloride	(Polymer) Local	,,		3	2¼		2	11·4		2	10½
RUBBER AND TYRE MATERIALS											
Smoked Blanket	Imported, Landed Cost	lb.		2	6·7		2	3·8		2	0·4
Rayon Tyre Cord	Australian	,,		7	9·8		7	7·3		7	6¼

* Wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated.
† Factory to wholesaler.
‡ Factory to consumer.
¶ Indent price.
§ 0·020 Caliper.

No. 2. Wholesale Prices, Sydney, Monthly, 1957-58*

Commodity.	Description.	Unit of Measurement.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Average, July to Dec.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average, Jan. to June.	Average for Year
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
FOOD																	
MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS																	
Milk: Fresh	Milk Bds. Agent to Vendor ...	gal.	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾
Condensed ...	Gold Medal	4 doz.	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 6 4	4 3 7	4 3 10
Powdered ...	Sunshine 12 oz.	3 doz.	5 12 6	5 12 6	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 11 2	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 10 6	5 10 10
Cheese†	Av. loaf and large	lb.	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¼	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾	2 6¾
Butter†	Choice	,,	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2
MEAT†																	
Beef	Ox and heifer 451–720 lb. ...	lb.	1 6·2	1 7·2	1 7·4	1 6·8	1 5·1	1 4·0	1 6·1	1 6·5	1 7·8	1 8·0	1 6·1	1 6·6	1 6·1	1 6·9	1 6·5
Mutton	Wethers	,,	1 2·5	1 4·8	1 2·4	11·2	9·3	8·6	1 0·5	10·3	11·8	11·1	11·1	9·6	10·5	10·7	11·6
Lamb	Av. under and over 36 lb. ...	,,	2 7·3	2 7·7	2 4·2	1 9·5	1 5.8	1 5·7	2 0·7	1 10·4	1 10·4	1 9·1	1 10·1	1 10·7	1 10·9	1 10·3	1 11·5
Pork	Under 100 lb. dressed	,,	2 11·2	3 0·3	3 0 3	2 9·1	2 8·8	2 9	2 10·5	2 8·6	2 8·0	2 9·1	2 8·0	2 6·	2 6·2	2 7·7	2 9·1
Veal	Average light and heavy ...	,,	1 8·7	1 8·9	1 9	1 8·6	1 8 2	1 7·1	1 8·4	1 9·8	1 10·8	1 11·4	1 8·8	1 9·6	1 10·7	1 10·2	1 9·3
Bacon	Sides	,,	4 6·3	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5·2	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5·1
Ham	Uncooked	,,	5 0	5 0	5 1·7	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 3·3	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 4·6
Canned Meat*	Corned Beef 12 oz.	doz.	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6
EGGS																	
Eggs†	First quality hen	doz.	4 11	4 5·6	4 5	4 5	4 6·4	5 4	4 8·2	5 7·6	5 11	5 11	5 11	5 11	5 11	5 10·4	5 3·3
FATS																	
Margarine: Table ...	... ...	lb.	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 4¾	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 4·9	2 4·8
Other ...	... ...	,,	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6	1 6·4	1 6·5
SUGAR AND SYRUPS																	
Sugar	Refined A1	ton	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0
Golden Syrup	C.S.R. 2 lb. tin	2 doz.	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0
Treacle	,, ,, ,, ...	,,	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2
Honey†	First grade, in 60lb. tins ...	lb.	1 3	1 3·1	1 4	1 3·1	1 3	1 3	1 3·2	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3·1
NON-SEASONAL VEGETABLES ¶																	
Potatoes†	Local, ex trucks Alexandria ...	ton	27 15 0	24 2 3	26 5 0	26 3 8	20 0 3	18 5 7	23 15 4	19 0 6	16 0 3	17 0 0	18 16 6§	18 7 4	18 5 7	17 18 4	20 16 10
Onions†...	Brown, ex trucks Alexandria ...	,,	44 5 11	30 18 9	26 0 10	20 9 1	21 0 9	21 4 7	27 6 8	33 15 0	35 17 9	28 6 4	30 18 2	37 2 4	31 17 0	32 19 5	30 3 0
FRUIT PRODUCTS																	
Jam	Plum 24 oz.	doz.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0
Currants	Dried 4 crown **...	lb.	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 9·8	1 9·4
Sultanas	Dried 4 crown **...	,,	1 9½	1 9½	1 9½	1 9½	1 9½	1 9½	1 9½	1 9½	1 9½	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10·3	1 9·9
Dates	... ...	,,	1 8·3	1 8·3	1 8·3	1 8·3	1 8·3	1 8·3	1 8·3	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·6
Apricots	Dried	,,	4 3	4 3	4 3	4 3	4 3	4 3	4 3	4 3‖	4 3‖	4 4	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 5·7	4 4·3
Prunes	60/70 7 lb. tin	,,	2 7½	2 7½	2 7½	2 7½	2 7½	2 7½	2 7½	2 7½	2 7½	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 7·8	2 7·7
Peaches, Canned ...	30 oz.	doz.	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6
Pears, Canned	30 oz.	,,	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	1 19 3	1 19 3	1 16 6	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 18 0	1 19 3
Pineapples, Canned ...	30 oz.	,,	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0
GRAIN PRODUCTS																	
Flour‡: Plain ...	150 lb. sacks	ton	36 15 0	36 15 0	36 15 0	36 15 0	36 15 0	47 5 0	38 10 0	47 5 0	47 5 0	47 5 0	47 5 0	47 5 0	47 5 0	47 5 0	42 17 6
Self-raising ...	2 lb. packet	doz.	17 4	17 4	17 4	17 4	17 4	1 0 9	17 10·8	1 0 9	1 0 9	1 0 9	1 0 9	1 0 9	1 0 9	1 0 9	19 3·9
Rice	Milled	ton	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0
Breakfast Food—																	
Wheat Flakes ...	Weeties 8 oz.	doz.	14 9	14 9	14 9	15 6	15 6	16 0	15 2·5	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 7·2
Maize	Kellogg's Corn Flakes 16 oz. ...	,,	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11
Cornflour	Wade's 16 oz.	lb.	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 9·1	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·1	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·3
Sago	... ...	cwt.	9 16 0	8 8 0	7 0 0	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	6 10 8	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	5 12 0

* At middle of month, wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated.

† Average for month.

‡ To manufacturer or retailer.

¶ Agent to wholesale merchants.

§ Victorian-grown potatoes; no quotes available for potatoes grown in New South Wales.

‖ Nominal

** Prior to March, 1958, this grade was described as 3 crown.

No. 2. Wholesale Prices, Sydney, Monthly, 1957–58* (*continued*)

Commodity.	Description.	Unit of Measurement.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Average, July to Dec.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average, Jan. to June.	Average for Year
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
FOOD (*continued*)—																	
BEVERAGES																	
Tea	Bushell's	lb.	5 9	5 9	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 0	5 9·5	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 3	6 3	6 1	5 11·2
Coffee	Bushell's, 25% Chicory	,,	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0
Cocoa	Bourneville, ½'s	doz.	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 14 1	1 13 0
CONDIMENTS																	
Salt	Rock Lumps	ton	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	23 10 0	23 10 0	21 16 8	21 8 4
Pepper	White, 2 oz.	doz.	12 4½	12 4½	12 4½	12 4½	12 4½	12 4½	12 4½	12 4½	11 9¾	11 9¾	12 4½	12 4½	12 4½	12 2¼	12 3·4
Vinegar	Champion, 26 oz.	,,	1 7 6	1 7 6	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 2	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 1
ALCOHOLIC DRINKS																	
Beer	Bulk	Hogsh'd	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8
	Bottled Lager, 26 oz.	doz.	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8
Wine	Fortified, average of 3 types ...	,,	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9	2 11 9
	Unfortified, average of 4 types...	,,	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3
Whisky	Australian	,,	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0
	Imported	,,	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10
Brandy	Australian	,,	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5
Rum	Australian O.P.	,,	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0
Gin	Australian	,,	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0
TOBACCO†																	
Cigarettes	Capstan plain	1,000	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6
	Ardath cork tipped	,,	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0
Pipe Tobacco	Flake Cut: dark...	lb.	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 13 7½	1 14 11	1 13 10	1 13 9
	bright	,,	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 15 8	1 14 7	1 14 6
Cigarette Tobacco ...	Fine cut	,,	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 14 4½	1 15 8	1 14 7	1 14 6
	Ready Rubbed	,,	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 14 11½	1 16 3	1 15 2	1 15 1
FUEL AND POWER																	
GAS AND ELECTRICITY			d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Gas‡	A.G.L. Domestic General Rate—																
	First 1,200 units per Qtr. ...	Unit	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123
	Next 1,800 units per Qtr. ...	,,	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049
Electricity‡ S.C.C. ...	Residence Rate—																
	First 30 units per Qtr. ...	kWh.	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250
	Next 70 units per Qtr. ...	,,	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250
	Cooking—all units in excess of 100 per Qtr.	,,	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	2·000	1·900	1·983	1·992
	Non-cooking—all units in excess of 100 per Qtr.... ...	,,	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·400	2·300	2·383	2·392
	Industrial kVA¶, High Voltage Option I—																
	All kWh. in excess of 3,000,000 per annum. ...	,,	1·700	1·700	1·500	1·500	1·500	1·500	1·560	1·470	1·470	1·470	1·470	1·460	1·460	1·467	1·514
	General Supply Rate—																
	4th Block—all units in excess of 15,000 per Qtr.	,,	4·000	4·000	3·600	3·600	3·600	3·600	3·733	3·570	3·570	3·570	3·570	3·560	3·560	3·567	3·650
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Coke	Ex Works...	ton	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
LIQUID FUEL																	
Motor Spirit	Bulk	gal.	3 3¼	3 3¼	3 3¼	3 3¼	3 3¼	3 2¼	3 3·1	3 2¼	3 2¼	3 2¼	3 2¼	3 2¼	3 2¼	3 2¼	3 2·7
Diesoline	44-gal. drum	,,	2 2	2 2	3 2§	3 2	3 2	3 2	2 10	3 2	3 2	3 2	3 2	3 2	3 2	3 2	3 0
Motor Oil	44 gal. drum	,,	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 8·5
Power Kerosene ...	44 gal. drum	,,	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4
Lighting Kerosene ...	44 gal. drum	,,	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4
Diesel Fuel	Bulk	ton	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0	23 14 0
Furnace Oil	Bulk	,,	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6	16 14 6
Tar Fuel	Bulk, ex Works	gal.	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1

* At middle of month, wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated. † Factory to wholesaler. ‡ To consumer. § From 13th September, 1957, excise duty of 1s. per gallon was imposed on diesoline used for road transport purposes.

¶ Prior to January, 1958, Industrial kVA, high voltage (All Purposes). Maximum demand charge: £9 per annum per kVA of maximum demand to each point of supply.

No. 2. Wholesale Prices, Sydney, Monthly, 1957-58* (*continued*)

Commodity.	Description.	Unit of Measurement.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Average, July to Dec.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average, Jan. to June.	Average for Year
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS																	
TIMBER†																	
Hardwood	Merchantable 3″ x 2″, 6 ft. to 21 ft	100 Sup. ft.	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6
Oregon	Merchantable 2″ x 2″ to 12″ x 6″, 24–30 ft.	,,	10 6 0	9 18 0	9 18 0	9 18 0	9 18 0	9 7 0	9 17 6	9 7 0	9 7 0	9 7 0	8 18 0	8 18 0	8 13 0	9 1 8	9 9 7
Hardwood Flooring ...	4″ x 1″, 10–15% moisture content	,,	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6
BRICKS, TILES, ETC.																	
Bricks	Common at Kiln	1,000	14 7 6	14 7 6	14 7 6	14 7 6	14 7 6	14 7 6	14 7 6	14 7 6	14 8 0	14 8 0	14 8 0	14 10 6	14 10 6	14 8 9	14 8 2
Tiles	Terra-cotta, over 6 sqs., ex Works	Square	6 5 3¶	6 5 3¶	6 5 3¶	6 5 3¶	6 5 3¶	6 5 3¶	6 5 3¶	6 5 3	6 5 3	6 5 3	6 5 3	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 5 7	6 5 5
Stoneware Pipes ...	6 inches, ex works	2 ft.	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
PAINT																	
Oil Paint	4 or 5-gal. drum	gal.	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6
Varnish	Fine Hard Oak, 4 or 5-gal. drum	,,	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2
Lacquer	4 or 5-gal. drum	,,	2 15 7	2 15 7	2 15 7	2 15 7	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 15 10	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 16 2
Synthetic	Exterior, 1-gal. tin	,,	2 12 11	2 12 11	2 12 11	2 12 11	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 3	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 7
	Enamel, 1-gal. tin	,,	2 19 3	2 19 3	2 19 3	2 19 3	2 19 3	3 0 9	2 19 6	3 0 9	3 0 9	3 0 9	3 0 9	3 0 9	3 0 9	3 0 9	3 0 2
CEMENT AND CEMENT PRODUCTS																	
Cement	Portland, ex works, 15 tons and over.	ton	8 7 3	8 8 3	8 8 3	8 8 3	8 8 3	8 8 3	8 8 1	8 8 3	8 8 3	8 8 3	8 8 3	8 10 3	8 10 3	8 8 11	8 8 6
Asbestos Cement † ...	Building Sheets	sq. yd.	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6
OTHER																	
Quicklime †	Rock, R. K. Portland	bag	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 1 6	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 2 0	1 1 9
Bitumen	Road Grades, bulk, to consumer	ton	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 5 0	24 2 0	24 1 2	24 0 7
Glass **	Window, 21 oz. to 80 united ins.	sq. ft.	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0½	2 0·1	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0.3
Blue Metal	Crushed ¾ in. to contractor or distributor.	ton	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 2 10	2 2 5
METAL AND BASIC METAL PRODUCTS																	
IRON AND STEEL, BASIC FORMS§																	
Pig Iron	Foundry	ton	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6
Plates and Sheets ...	Sheared Plates	,,	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6
Structural Steel Shapes	... ...	,,	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0
Rails	Heavy	,,	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0
Merchant Bars ...	Including rods and rounds ...	,,	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0
Black Strip	In Coils	,,	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	41 10 0	43 10 0	41 16 8	41 13 4
IRON AND STEEL, BASIC PRODUCTS																	
Fencing Wire	Galv. 10g.	ton	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9
	Barbed 12½g. Iowa	reel	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0
Wire Netting	42″ x 1½″ x 17g.	100 yds.	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0
Sheets‡	Black Plain, 20g. ††	ton	70 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	70 15 0
	Galv. Corrugated, 26g.—List price.	,,	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0
	Galv. Plain, 24g.—List price ‡‡	,,	93 18 0	93 18 0	93 18 0	93 18 0	93 18 0	93 18 0	93 18 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	95 0 0

* At middle of month, wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated. † List retail price. ‡ Factory to wholesaler. § c.i.f. Capital Australian Ports.

¶ Revised. ** To builders. †† Prior to January, 1958, packed in bundles; from January, 1958, packed in 1-ton envelopes.

‡‡ Prior to January, 1958, packed in bundles; from January, 1958, packed in crates.

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No. 2. Wholesale Prices, Sydney, Monthly, 1957–58* (*continued*)

Commodity.	Description.	Unit of Measurement.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Average, July to Dec.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average, Jan. to June.	Average for Year
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
METAL AND BASIC METAL PRODUCTS (*continued*)—																	
IRON AND STEEL, BASIC PRODUCTS (*continued*)—																	
Nails	Bright 9g.	cwt.	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6
Pipes and Tubes† ...	Seamless for boiler tubes ...	ft.	5 1·1§	5 1·1§	5 1·1§	5 1·1§	5 1·1§	5 1·1§	5 1·1§	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1
Pipes : Water† ...	Welded Steel, galv. ¾″	100 ft.	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 1 6	4 1 5
Gas†	Welded Steel, black ¾″	,,	3 10 10	3 10 10	3 10 10	3 10 10	3 10 10	3 10 10	3 10 10	3 10 10	3 11 2	3 11 2	3 11 2	3 11 2	3 11 2	3 11 1	3 11 0
Soil	Cast Iron, ¼″ x 4″ diam....	4 ft.	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6
Pipe Fittings†	Steel Tees, galv. ¾″	each	2 8·3	2 8·3	2 8·3	2 8·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 9·0	2 10.3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 9·6
LEAD																	
Lead Piping†	1″ in coils	ton	178 10 0	178 10 0	178 10 0	178 10 0	163 5 0	163 5 0	173 8 4	163 5 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	156 7 6	164 17 11
Lead Sheets†	3 lb. in rolls	,,	174 0 0	174 0 0	174 0 0	174 0 0	158 15 0	158 15 0	168 18 4	158 15 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	151 17 6	160 7 11
Pig Lead‡	f.o.b. Port Pirie	,,	108 16 8	110 1 8	107 19 9	103 2 1	99 10 5	87 9 5	102 16 8	85 10 11	87 14 9	88 8 2	86 5 10	85 12 2	87 2 7	86 15 9	94 16 2
COPPER																	
Pipes and Tubes ...	1 1/32 ext. x 13 s.w.g., ex works...	lb.	4 6·1	4 5·3	4 5·3	4 5·3	4 5·3	4 5·3	4 5·4	4 5·3	4 5·3	4 5·3	4 5·3	4 5·5	4 0·7	4 4·6	4 5·0
Sheets†	6′x3′, 24g. hard rolled, ½ hard alloy	,,	4 11·1	4 11·1	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·7	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·5	4 10·6
Cable	Taped, ex works	100 yds.	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0
ALUMINIUM																	
Aluminium Sheet ...	22g. (6x2 to 8x3 ft.) to distributor	lb.	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 10½	4 11½	4 10·7	4 10·6
PAPER																	
Newsprint	U.K., Landed Cost	ton	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0	94 1 0
	Australian, Landed Cost ..	,,	87 13 6	87 13 6	87 13 6	87 7 6	87 7 6	87 7 6	87 10 6	86 9 9	86 9 9	86 9 9	86 11 3	86 11 3	86 11 3	86 10 6	87 0 6
Printing, Machine Finished	Burnie, Tasmania, Mill Price ...	,,	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½	1 5½
Brown Kraft	Wrapping, 20 x 30in., 20 lb., 480's	ton	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0
Plain Chipboard ...	·030 Caliper	,,	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0
Writing	White Bank, Imported	lb.	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5.2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 5·2
OTHER MATERIALS																	
BASIC CHEMICALS																	
Caustic Soda	Bulk	cwt.	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9
Soda Ash	Ex Wharf to consumer	ton	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2
PLASTIC MATERIALS ¶																	
Phenol Formaldehyde Moulding Powders.	General Purpose	lb.	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11
Urea Formaldehyde Moulding Powders ...	Direct Process Grade	,,	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼
Cellulose Acetate Moulding Powders ...	General Purpose, Opaque ...	,,	4 9	4 9	4 9	4 9	4 9	4 9	4 9	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8·5
Polyvinyl Chloride ...	(Polymer) Local	,,	3 2¼	3 2¼	3 2¼	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	3 0·4	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 11·4
RUBBER AND TYRE MATERIALS																	
Smoked Blanket ...	Imported, Landed Cost	lb.	2 6·9	2 7·3	2 7·3	2 7·3	2 7·2	2 4·8	2 6·8	2 0.6	2 0·5	2 1·8	2 1·0	2 0·9	2 0.4	2 0·9	2 3·8
Rayon Tyre Cord ...	Australian	,,	7 9·6	7 8·4	7 8·9	7 8·9	7 8·9	7 5	7 8·3	7 6·3	7 6·3	7 6·3	7 6·3	7 6·3	7 6·3	7 6·3	7 7·3

* At middle of month, wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated.

† Factory to wholesaler.

‡ Monthly average.

¶ Factory to consumer.

§ Revised.

No. 3. Wholesale Prices, Sydney, Monthly, 1958–59*

Commodity.	Description.	Unit of Measurement.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Average, July to Dec.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average, Jan. to June.	Average for Year
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
FOOD																	
MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS																	
Milk: Fresh	Milk Bds. Agent to Vendor ...	gal.	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾	5 11¾
Condensed ...	Gold Medal	4 doz.	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4	4 6 4
Powdered ...	Sunshine 12 oz.	3 doz.	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0
Cheese†	Av. loaf and large	lb.	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾	2 7¾
Butter†	Choice	,,	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4	4 4
MEAT†																	
Beef	Ox and heifer 451–720 lbs. ...	,,	1 6·2	1 7·3	1 8·1	1 8·7	1 7·3	1 7·1	1 7·5	1 10·2	1 9·4	1 10·3	1 9·1	1 7·0	1 8·3	1 9·1	1 8·3
Mutton	Wethers	,,	11·1	11·4	10·5	10·7	9	8·7	10·2	7·9	10·1	10·4	10·5	9·1	10·8	9·8	10·0
Lamb	Av. under and over 36 lbs. ...	,,	1 6·5	1 6·8	1 8·7	1 8·8	1 6·6	1 6·6	1 7·3	1 9·3	1 10·3	1 11·1	1 10·7	1 8·4	1 8·5	1 9·7	1 8·5
Pork	Under 100 lb. dressed	,,	2 8·4	2 9·6	2 10	2 11·7	3 0	3 0·4	2 10·7	3 2·2	3 1·3	3 1·5	3 1·3	3 1·0	3 1·4	3 1·5	3 0·1
Veal	Av. light and heavy	,,	1 9·1	1 9·1	1 10·2	1 10·9	1 9·1	1 9·8	1 9·7	2 0·5	2 0·6	2 2·1	2 1·7	2 0·9	2 2·2	2 1·3	1 11·5
Bacon	Sides	,,	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 5	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 2	4 3	4 4
Ham	Uncooked	,,	5 6	5 6	5 7	5 9	5 9	5 9	5 7·7	5 9	5 9	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 3	5 5·3
Canned Meat*	Corned Beef 12 oz.	doz.	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 10 6	1 13 0	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 13 5	1 12 0
EGGS																	
Eggs†	First quality hen	,,	5 11	5 2	4 5	4 9·1	5 3·5	5 5	5 1·9	5 5	5 8	5 11	5 11	5 11	5 11	5 9·5	5 5·7
FATS																	
Margarine: Table ...	... ...	lb.	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 5¼	2 8¾	2 8¾	2 8¾	2 8¾	2 7·6	2 6·5
Other ...	... ...	,,	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6
SUGAR AND SYRUPS																	
Sugar	Refined A1.	ton	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0	82 1 0
Golden Syrup	C.S.R. 2 lb. tin	2 doz.	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0
Treacle	,, ,, ,, ...	,,	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 12 2
Honey†	First grade, in 60 lb. tins ...	lb.	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3
NON-SEASONAL VEGETABLES‡																	
Potatoes†	Local, ex trucks Alexandria ...	ton	18 18 0	20 4 10	19 10 9	23 6 9	22 14 3	26 12 3	21 17 10	31 6 7	33 19 7	37 14 10	30 6 5	21 19 5	23 0 3	29 14 6	25 16 2
Onions†...	Brown. ex trucks Alexandria ...	,,	20 8 9	20 18 11	24 2 10	23 0 0	23 2 3	37 5 5	24 16 4	38 16 9	41 15 2	37 18 8	40 0 11	57 11 10	76 0 0	48 13 11	36 15 2
FRUIT PRODUCTS																	
Jam	Plum, 24 oz.	doz.	1 10 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 10 2	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 7
Currants	Dried, 4 crown	lb.	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 10¼
Sultanas	Dried, 4 crown	,,	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 10¾
Dates	... ...	,,	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	1 8·8	2 0·2	2 0·2	2 0·2	2 0·2	2 0·2	1 11.6	1 10·2
Apricots	Dried	,,	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 10½	4 8¼	4 8¼	4 8¼	4 8.5	4 8·3
Prunes	60/70, 7 lb. tin	,,	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8	2 8
Peaches, Canned ...	30 oz.	doz.	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	2 0 6	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 17 2	1 18 10
Pears, Canned ...	30 oz.	,,	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 15 9	1 16 0
Pineapples, Canned ...	30 oz.	,,	2 0 0	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 18 1	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 9	1 17 11
GRAIN PRODUCTS																	
Flour§: Plain ...	150 lb. sacks	ton	42 2 6	42 2 6	42 2 6	42 2 6	42 2 6	39 0 0	41 12 1	39 0 0	39 0 0	39 0 0	39 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	39 6 8	40 9 4
Self-raising ...	2 lb. pkt.	doz.	19 9	19 9	19 9	19 9	19 9	18 0	19 6	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 3	18 3	18 1	18 9
Rice	Milled	ton	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0
Breakfast Food—																	
Wheat Flakes ..	Weeties, 8 oz.	doz.	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 3	15 10	15 3	15 3	15 3	15 3	15 3	15 3	15 3	15 7
Maize...	Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 16 oz. ...	,,	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11	1 11 11
Cornflour	Wade's, 16 oz.	lb.	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6	1 9·6
Sago	... ...	cwt.	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 13 4	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 10 3	4 11 9
BEVERAGES																	
Tea	Bushell's	lb.	6 3	6 3	6 3	6 3	6 1	6 1	6 2·3	6 1	6 1	6 1	6 1	6 1	6 1	6 1	6 1·6
Coffee	Bushell's 25% Chicory	,,	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0
Cocoa	Bourneville ½'s:	doz.	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½	1 15 2½

* At middle of month, wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated. † Average for month. ¶ Agent to wholesale merchant. ‡ To manufacturer or retailer.

No. 3. Wholesale Prices, Sydney, Monthly, 1958-59* (*continued*)

Commodity.	Description.	Unit of Measurement.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Average, July to Dec.	January.	February	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average Jan. to June.	Average for Year
FOOD (*continued*)—			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£. s d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
CONDIMENTS																	
Pepper	White 2 oz.	doz.	12 1·1	12 1·1	12 4·5	12 4·5	12 4·5	12 4·5	12 3·4	12 4·5	12 4·5	12 4·5	14 7·5	14 7·5	14 7·5	13 6·0	12 10.7
Vinegar	Champion 26 oz.	,,	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0
ALCOHOLIC DRINKS																	
Beer	Bulk	Hogshead	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8	32 8 8
	Bottled Lager, 26 oz.	doz.	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8	1 10 8
Wine	Fortified, average of 3 types ...	,,	2 11 9	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 15 6	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 15 10
	Unfortified, average of 4 types	,,	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3	2 16 3
Whisky	Australian	,,	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	11 14 10	11 0 9	10 19 4
	Imported	,,	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10	16 6 10
Brandy	Australian	,,	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5	8 1 5
Rum	Australian O.P.	,,	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0
Gin	Australian	,,	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0	10 18 0
TOBACCO †																	
Cigarettes	Capstan plain	1,000	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6	5 13 6
	Ardath cork tipped	,,	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0	6 16 0
Pipe Tobacco	Flake Cut: dark...	lb.	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11	1 14 11
	bright	,,	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8
Cigarette Tobacco ...	Fine cut	,,	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 15 8
	Ready Rubbed	,,	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3	1 16 3
FUEL AND POWER																	
GAS AND ELECTRICITY			d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Gas ‡	A.G.L. Domestic General Rate—																
	First 1,200 units per Qtr. ..	Unit	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123	1·123
	Next 1,800 units per Qtr. ...	,,	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049	1·049
Electricity ‡ S.C.C. ...	Residence Rate —																
	First 30 units per Qtr. ...	kWh.	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250	6·250
	Next 70 units per Qtr. ...	,,	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250	4·250
	Cooking — all units in excess of 100 per Qtr.	,,	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·900	1·770	1·878	1·889
	Non-cooking — all units in excess of 100 per Qtr... ..	,,	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·300	2·170	2·278	2·289
	Industrial kVA¶, High Voltage Option 1 —																
	All kWh in excess of 3,000,000 per annum. ...	,,	1·460	1·480	1·480	1·480	1·450	1·450	1·467	1·450	1·280	1·280	1·280	1·280	1·280	1·308	1·388
	General Supply Rate —																
	4th Block — all units in excess of 15,000 per Qtr. ...	,,	3·560	3·580	3·580	3·580	3·550	3·550	3·567	3·550	3·380	3·380	3·380	3·380	3·380	3·408	3·488
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£. s d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Coke	Ex-works	ton	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
LIQUID FUEL																	
Motor Spirit ...	Bulk	gal.	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1¼
Diesoline	44-gal. drum	,,	3 1½	2 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½	3 1½
Motor Oil	44-gal. drum	,,	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½	8 10½
Power Kerosene ...	44-gal. drum	,,	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 4
Lighting Kerosene ...	44-gal. drum	,,	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½	2 3½
Diesel Fuel	Bulk	ton	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0
Furnace Oil	Bulk	,,	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6	15 17 6
Tar Fuel	Bulk, Ex-works	gal.	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1	1 1·1

* At middle of month, wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated.

† Factory to Wholesaler, ‡ To consumer.

¶ Maximum demand charge: £9 per annum per kVA of maximum demand at each point of supply.

No. 3. Wholesale Prices, Sydney, Monthly, 1958–59* (*continued*)

Commodity.	Description.	Unit of Measurement.	July	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Average, July to Dec.	January.	February	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average, Jan. to June.	Average for Year
BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
TIMBER †																	
Hardwood	Merchantable 3"x2",6 ft. to 21 ft.	100 Sup. ft.	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 4 6	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 6 3	8 5 4
Oregon	Merchantable 2" x 2", to 12"x6", 24–30, ft.	,,	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0	8 13 0
Hardwood Flooring ...	4"x1", 10–15% moisture content	,,	11 19 0	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	1 19 6	11 19 6	11 19 6	12 1 0	12 1 0	12 1 0	12 0 3	11 19 10
BRICKS, TILES, ETC.																	
Bricks	Common at Kiln	1,000	14 10 6	14 10 6	14 10 6	14 10 6	14 10 0	14 10 0	14 10 4	14 10 0	14 10 0	14 16 0	14 16 0	14 16 6	14 16 6	14 14 2	14 12 3
Tiles	Terra-cotta, over 6 sqs., Ex Works	Square	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 6 3	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 7 5	6 6 10
Stoneware Pipes ...	6 inches, Ex Works	2 ft.	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
PAINT																	
Oil Paint	4- or 5-gal. drum	gal.	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 6 6	2 7 7	2 7 7	2 6 10	2 7 7	2 7 7	2 7 7	2 7 7	2 7 7	2 7 7	2 7 7	2 7 3
Varnish	Fine Hard Oak, 4- or 5-gal. drum	,,	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 2	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 5	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 10	1 11 7
Lacquer	4- or 5-gal. drum	,,	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 16 5	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 15 10	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 15 6
Synthetic	Exterior, 1-gal. tin	,,	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 13 11	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 13 11	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0
	Enamel, 1-gal. tin	,,	3 0 9	3 0 9	3 0 9	3 1 11	3 1 11	3 1 11	3 1 4	3 1 11	3 1 11	3 1 11	3 1 11	3 1 11	3 1 11	3 1 11	3 1 8
CEMENT AND CEMENT PRODUCTS																	
Cement	Portland, Ex works, 15 tons and over	ton	8 10 3	8 10 3	8 10 3	8 10 3	8 10 3	8 10 3	8 10 3	8 10 3	8 12 3	8 12 3	8 12 3	8 12 3	8 12 3	8 11 11	8 11 1
Asbestos Cement† ...	Building Sheets	sq. yd.	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 7	5 6·2	5 7	5 7	5 7	5 7	5 7	5 7	5 7	5 6·6
OTHER																	
Quicklime†	Rock, R. K. Portland	bag	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 3 0
Bitumen	Road Grades, bulk, to consumer	ton	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0	24 2 0
Glass‖	Window, 21 oz. to 80 united in....	sq. ft.	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 0½	2 4††	2 1·1	2 0·8
Blue Metal	Crushed ¾ in. to contractor or distributor	ton	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7	2 4 7
METAL AND BASIC METAL PRODUCTS																	
IRON AND STEEL, BASIC FORMS§																	
Pig Iron	Foundry	ton	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6	21 7 6
Plates and Sheets ...	Sheared Plates	,,	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6	44 7 6
Structural Steel Shapes	... ...	,,	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0
Rails	Heavy	,,	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0	42 0 0
Merchant Bars... ...	Including rods and rounds ...	,,	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0	40 10 0
Black Strip	In Coils	,,	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0	43 10 0
IRON AND STEEL, BASIC PRODUCTS																	
Fencing Wire	Galv. 10g.	ton	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9	66 13 9
	Barbed 12½g. Iowa	reel	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0
Wire Netting	42" x 1½" x 17g.	100 yds.	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0
Sheets‡	Black plain, 20g. ¶	ton	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 10 0	71 15 0	71 15 0	71 11 8	71 10 10
	Galv. Corrugated, 26g.—List Price	,,	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	97 3 0	98 13 0	98 13 0	98 13 0	98 15 0	98 15 0	98 8 8	97 15 10
	Galv. Plain, 24g.—List price**...	,,	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	96 2 0	98 12 0	98 12 0	97 7 0	98 5 0	98 5 0	97 17 2	96 19 7

* At middle of month, wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated. † List retail price. ‡ Factory to wholesaler. § c.i.f. Capital Australian Ports.

¶ Prior to May, 1959, packed in 1-ton envelopes ; from May, 1959, packed in 2-ton black skidded packs. ‖ To builders. * * Prior to May, 1959, packed in crates ; from May, 1959, packed in 1-ton galvanised skidded packs.

†† 21 ozs. to 24 oz., 0 to 80 united inches, Australian and Imported

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Commodity.	Description.	Unit of Measurement.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Average, July to Dec.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average, Jan. to June.	Average for Year
METAL AND BASIC METAL PRODUCTS (*continued*)—																	
IRON AND STEEL, BASIC PRODUCTS (*continued*)—			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Nails	Bright 9g.	cwt.	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 8 6
Pipes and Tubes † ...	Seamless for boiler tubes ...	ft.	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1	5 1·1
Pipes: Water † ...	Welded Steel, galv. ¾″	100 ft.	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 5	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 4
Gas †	Welded Steel, black ¾″	,,	3 11 2	3 11 2	3 11 2	3 12 8	3 12 8	3 12 8	3 11 11	3 12 8	3 12 8	3 12 8	3 12 8	3 12 8	3 12 8	3 12 8	3 12 3
Soil	Cast Iron ¼″ x 4″ diam.	4 ft.	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 1 6
Pipe Fittings †... ...	Steel Tees, galv. ¾″	each	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	2 10·3	3 9·5	3 9·5	3 9·5	3 9·5	3 9·5	3 9·5	3 9·5	3 3·9
LEAD																	
Lead Piping †	1″ in coils	ton	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0	155 0 0
Lead Sheets †	3 lb. in rolls	,,	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0	150 10 0
Pig Lead ‡	f.o.b. Port Pirie	,,	85 8 2	84 3 5	84 3 7	87 17 9	89 14 1	89 13 7	86 16 9	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	93 8 4
COPPER																	
Pipes and Tubes ...	1 $\frac{3}{32}$ ext. x 13 s.w.g. Ex works	lb.	4 0·7	4 0·7	4 1·2	4 1·6	4 6·3	4 1·3	4 2·0	4 1·6	4 3·7	4 4·6	4 5·1	4 3·2	4 3·6	4 3·6	4 2·8
Sheets †	6′x3′,24g. hard rolled, ½ hard alloy	,,	4 7·8	4 5·9	4 6·4	4 7·8	4 10·3	4 6·8	4 7·5	4 7·3	4 8·6	4 11·2	4 11·0	4 9·9	4 9·8	4 9·6	4 8·6
Cable	Taped, Ex works...	100 yds.	1 3 0	1 2 6	1 2 6	1 2 6	1 2 4	1 2 4	1 2 6	1 2 4	1 3 0	1 2 8	1 2 8	1 2 8	1 2 8	1 2 8	1 2 7
ALUMINIUM																	
Aluminium Sheet ...	22g. (6 x 2 to 8 x 3 ft.) to distributor	lb.	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½	4 11½
PAPER																	
Newsprint	U.K., Indent Price	ton	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0	97 0 0
	Australian, Landed Cost ...	,,	87 5 0	87 5 0	87 5 0	86 16 3	86 16 3	86 16 3	87 0 8	85 17 0	85 17 0	85 17 0	85 7 9	85 7 9	85 7 9	85 12 4	86 6 6
Printing, Machine Finished	Burnie, Tasmania, Mill Price ...	,,	1 6	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6·2	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6½	1 6.4
Brown Kraft	Wrapping, 20 x 30 in., 20 lb., 480's	ton	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0	182 15 0
Plain Chipboard ...	·020 Caliper	,,	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0
Writing	White Bank, Imported Ind. Price	lb.	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·9
OTHER MATERIALS																	
BASIC CHEMICALS																	
Caustic Soda	Bulk	cwt.	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9	7 1 9
Soda Ash	Ex Wharf to consumer	ton	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2	41 0 2
PLASTIC MATERIALS§																	
Phenol Formaldehyde Moulding Powders ...	General Purpose	lb.	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11	2 11
Urea Formaldehyde Moulding Powders ...	Direct Process Grade	,,	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼	3 4¼
Cellulose Acetate Moulding Powders ...	General Purpose, Opaque ...	,,	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8
Polyvinyl Chloride ...	(Polymer) Local	,,	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½	2 10½
RUBBER AND TYRE MATERIALS																	
Smoked Blanket ...	Imported, Landed Cost	lb.	1 9·9	1 10·1	1 8·4	1 9·8	1 9·8	2 0·8	1 10·1	2 1·9	2 1·9	2 1·3	2 1·3	2 5·2	2 5·2	2 2·8	2 0·4
Rayon Tyre Cord ...	Australian	,,	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼	7 6¼

* At middle of month, wholesaler to retailer, unless otherwise indicated.
† Factory to wholesaler.
‡ Monthly average.
§ Factory to consumer.

No. 4. Retail Price Index Numbers (" C " Series), 1939 to 1959

Base of each group: Weighted Average for six Capital Cities in Australia in 1923-27 = 1,000

NOTE. 1. A description of the index numbers is given in the " Labour Report ", issued annually by the Commonwealth Statistician.
2. The *group* index numbers cannot be compared with each other in order to show the *relative cost* of, for example, food and groceries and clothing, since the average (weighted for the six capital cities) *in each group* in 1923–27 has been made equal to 1,000.

Year and Quarter.	Sydney.							Newcastle.		Broken Hill.		Goulburn.		Bathurst.		Five Towns ‡	
	Food and Groceries.*		Rent, 4 & 5 roomed Houses	Clothing.	Miscellaneous Items.	Total " C " Series Index.*†		Total " C " Series Index.*									
						A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B
Average, 1923–27	1,012		1,111	950	1,021	1,020		994		970		1,041		941		1,017	
1939: Sept. ...	930		1,039	841	939	933		897		943		914		881		930	
1943: Mar. ¶ ...	1,050		1,042	1,408	1,145	1,141		1,101		1,148		1,116		1,080		1,137	
June § ...	1,065		1,042	1,479	1,162	1,165		1,126		1,185		1,140		1,107		1,162	
1945: Sept. ...	1,042		1,043	1,412	1,163	1,142		1,103		1,194		1,112		1,090		1,139	
1948: June ...	1,235		1,046	1,748	1,267	1,305		1,263		1,364		1,271		1,263		1,302	
1949: June ...	1,384		1,048	1,980	1,347	1,425		1,393		1,504		1,421		1,393		1,424	
1950: June ...	1,518		1,049	2,307	1,446	1,564		1,519		1,646		1,555		1,522		1,562	
1951: June ...	1,943		1,051	2,819	1,689	1,875		1,853		1,939		1,858		1,825		1,874	
1952: June ...	2,727		1,089	3,098	1,997	2,284		2,231		2,360		2,277		2,228		2,281	
1953: June ...	2,669		1,274	3,305	2,044	2,360		2,283		2,397		2,292		2,354		2,354	
1954: Mar. ...	2,738		1,318	3,280	2,051	2,391		2,327		2,432		2,318		2,393		2,386	
June ...	2,703		1,320	3,257	2,045	2,373		2,319		2,425		2,329		2,383		2,369	
Sept. ...	2,701		1,326	3,250	2,047	2,372		2,311		2,410		2,318		2,366		2,368	
Dec. ...	2,741		1,330	3,266	2,048	2,391		2,340		2,415		2,343		2,385		2,387	
1955: Mar. ...	2,804		1,331	3,250	2,014	2,405		2,358		2,421		2,373		2,412		2,401	
June ...	2,835		1,332	3,267	2,031	2,423		2,388		2,439		2,398		2,424		2,420	
Sept. ...	2,907	2,864	1,342	3,276	2,040	2,455	2,439	2,409	2,396	2,464	2,449	2,445	2,433	2,455	2,442	2,451	2,436
Dec. ...	2,936	2,882	1,348	3,279	2,064	2,471	2,452	2,425	2,410	2,487	2,458	2,472	2,449	2,474	2,453	2,468	2,449
1956: Mar. ...	2,986	2,906	1,355	3,267	2,074	2,490	2,461	2,444	2,419	2,489	2,465	2,504	2,464	2,482	2,445	2,487	2,458
June ...	3,128	2,979	1,359	3,279	2,135	2,556	2,501	2,499	2,447	2,531	2,491	2,548	2,497	2,520	2,470	2,551	2,497
Sept. ...	3,351	3,060	1,360	3,295	2,267	2,665	2,559	2,604	2,503	2,644	2,539	2,656	2,548	2,626	2,524	2,659	2,554
Dec. ...	3,173	3,048	1,364	3,328	2,348	2,624	2,578	2,575	2,528	2,641	2,567	2,638	2,570	2,611	2,551	2,620	2,574
1957: Mar. ...	3,075	3,070	1,385	3,359	2,369	2,604	2,602	2,541	2,548	2,597	2,601	2,600	2,590	2,578	2,569	2,599	2,597
June ...	3,059	3,039	1,401	3,384	2,424	2,618	2,611	2,564	2,565	2,625	2,626	2,618	2,607	2,586	2,573	2,614	2,607
Sept. ...	3,047	3,063	1,419	3,393	2,439	2,622	2,628	2,554	2,568	2,613	2,630	2,606	2,612	2,574	2,579	2,617	2,623
Dec. ...	2,997	3,043	1,432	3,411	2,447	2,613	2,630	2,573	2,597	2,634	2,643	2,634	2,642	2,577	2,593	2,610	2,628
1958: Mar. ...	3,125	3,161	1,450	3,416	2,450	2,665	2,677	2,618	2,638	2,637	2,656	2,653	2,661	2,600	2,610	2,660	2,673
June ...	3,087	3,129	1,465	3,445	2,452	2,661	2,676	2,613	2,638	2,632	2,661	2,662	2,680	2,601	2,620	2,657	2,673
Sept. ...	3,044	3,088	1,491	3,447	2,464	2,654	2,671	2,598	2,622	2,627	2,656	2,653	2,676	2,582	2,612	2,649	2,667
Dec. ...	3,081	3,105	1,506	3,454	2,466	2,673	2,682	2,595	2,616	2,660	2,678	2,676	2,683	2,590	2,612	2,666	2,677
1959: Mar. ...	3,099	3,101	1,521	3,446	2,464	2,681	2,682	2,607	2,616	2,681	2,680	2,675	2,676	2,608	2,619	2,675	2,677
June ...	3,103	3,120	1,532	3,469	2,461	2,690	2,696	2,621	2,636	2,674	2,686	2,680	2,695	2,632	2,646	2,684	2,691
Sept. ...	3,147	3,167	1,543	3,481	2,466	2,711	2,719	2,654	2,668	2,682	2,694	2,690	2,705	2,646	2,664	2,706	2,714
Dec. ...	3,196	3,225	1,557	3,527	2,472	2,744	2,754	2,686	2,702	2,722	2,726	2,741	2,749	2,697	2,708	2,738	2,749

* Index numbers in column A include the price movements of potatoes and onions, while those in column B exclude such price movements from (and including) September Quarter, 1955.
† Comprising foregoing groups.
‡ Weighted average of index numbers for Sydney, Newcastle, Broken Hill, Goulburn, and Bathurst.
¶ Price stabilization level.
§ War-time peak.

No. 5. Basic Wages (per week) for Adult Males and Females, Sydney 1950 to 1960

Month of Change	State Awards		Commonwealth Awards		Month of Change	State Awards		Commonwealth Awards	
	Males	Females *	Males	Females		Males	Females *	Males	Females
	s.	s. d.	s.	s. d.		s.	s. d.	s.	s. d.
1950 : December	165	123 6	165	123 6	1956 : June	...	...	253	189 6
					August	263	197 0	...	...
1951 : February	173	129 6	173	129 6	November	274	205 6	...	...
May	180	135 0	180	135 0					
August	193	144 6	193	144 6	1957 : February	270	202 6	...	...
November	207	155 0	207	155 0	May	268	201 0	263	197 0
					August	270	202 6	...	...
1952 : February	216	162 0	216	162 0					
May	223	167 0	223	167 0	1958 : February	269	201 6	...	...
August	235	176 0	235	176 0	May	274	205 6	268	201 0
November	237	177 6	237	177 6	November	273	204 6	...	...
1953 : February	238	178 6	238	178 6	1959 : February	275	206 0	...	...
May	241	180 6	241	180 6	May	276	207 0	...	...
August†	243	182 0	243	182 0	June	...	...	283	212 0
					August	277	207 6	...	...
1955 : November	253	189 6	...	...	November	279	209 0	...	...
1956 : February	255	191 0	...	...	1960 : February	283	212 0	...	...
May	256	192 0	...	...	May	285	213 6	...	...
					August	288	216 0	...	...

* The amounts shown to February, 1959, represent the basic wage together with so much of any margin and any further amount necessary to make the minimum wage payable equivalent to 75 per cent. of the basic wage for males. Following the increase in the basic wage to the 75 per cent. equivalent the amount shown from February, 1959, is the basic wage exclusive of any margin. This change was applied in State Awards from different dates, beginning in March, 1959.

† Quarterly adjustments for movements in retail prices were suspended in September, 1953, in both Commonwealth and State Awards. They were restored in State Awards in November, 1955.

No. 6. Weighted Average Minimum Weekly and Hourly Wage Rates, N.S.W., 1939 to 1959

NOTES—

1. The indexes of nominal wage rates, published in previous issues, have been replaced by new indexes of minimum wage rates.
2. The new indexes embrace a more representative range of occupations and are based on the occupation and industry structures in 1954. The weekly wage rates used in the new indexes are the rates payable for a full week's work (excluding overtime), as prescribed in the relevant industrial awards, determinations, and agreements. The hourly wage rates are obtained by relating the weekly wage rates and the weekly hours of work prescribed in awards, etc. The rural industries are excluded from the indexes.
3. The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as an index of changes expressed in money terms.

End of Month	Weekly Wage Rates		Hourly Wage Rates		Index Numbers *			
					Weekly Wage Rates		Hourly Wage Rates	
	Adult Males	Adult Females †	Adult Males ‡	Adult Females †	Males	Females †	Males ‡	Females †
	s. d.	s. d.	d.	d.				
1939 : June	99 10	¶	27·43	¶	35·3	¶	32·3	¶
1945 : June	121 4	¶	33·32	¶	43·0	¶	39·2	¶
1946 : June	123 1	¶	33·80	¶	43·6	¶	39·8	¶
1947 : June	136 5	¶	37·48	¶	48·3	¶	44·1	¶
1948 : June	152 1	¶	45·65	¶	53·8	¶	53·8	¶
1949 : June	165 5	¶	49·70	¶	58·6	¶	58·5	¶
1950 : June	177 7	¶	53·38	¶	62·9	¶	62·9	¶
1951 : June	223 0	152 3	67·04	46·21	79·0	76·5	79·0	76·7
1952 : June	267 1	184 5	80·28	55·97	94·6	92·6	94·6	93·0
1953 : June	284 10	198 10	85·63	60·36	100·9	99·9	100·9	100·2
1954 : June	287 8	200 8	86·48	60·92	101·9	100·8	101·9	101·2
1955 : June	298 2	203 5	89·71	61·75	105·6	102·2	105·7	102·6
1956 : June	311 10	214 5	93·84	65·09	110·4	107·7	110·5	108·1
1957 : June	324 0	222 10	97·42	67·64	114·7	111·9	114·7	112·3
1957 : December	324 6	223 8	97·57	67·90	114·9	112·4	114·9	112·8
1958 : March	323 10	224 2	97·37	68·05	114·7	112·6	114·7	113·0
June	329 1	229 6	98·95	69·67	116·5	115·3	116·5	115·7
September	329 2	228 6	98·95	69·37	116·6	114·8	116·5	115·2
December	328 8	228 11	98·82	69·49	116·4	115·0	116·4	115·4
1959 : March	329 10	238 4	99·17	72·35	116·8	119·7	116·8	120·2
June	337 6	244 7	101·43	74·25	119·5	122·9	119·5	123·3
September	338 2	245 1	101·63	74·40	119·7	123·1	119·7	123·6
December	349 0	249 1	104·91	75·61	123·5	125·1	123·6	125·6
1960 : March	353 1	253 1	106·13	76·83	125·0	127·1	125·0	127·6

* Base: Weighted Average for Australia in 1954 = 100.
† Excludes Mining and Quarrying, and Building and Construction.
‡ Excludes Shipping and Stevedoring.
¶ Not available.

No, 7. Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Wage Rates : Industrial Groups, N.S.W., 1939 to 1959

(See notes at head of Table 6)

Adult Males

End of Month	Mining and Quarrying	Manufacturing: Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	Manufacturing: Textiles, Clothing, and Footwear	Manufacturing: Food, Drink, and Tobacco	Manufacturing: Saw-milling, Furniture, etc.	Manufacturing: Paper, Printing, etc.	Manufacturing: Other Manufacturing	Manufacturing: All Manufacturing	Building and Construction
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1939 : June	110 10	99 11	93 3	99 7	99 6	105 7	97 11	99 4	101 10
1945 : June	145 4	121 0	115 10	119 1	120 0	126 8	118 8	120 3	120 3
1951 : June	319 6	217 8	215 9	217 1	217 9	231 7	215 7	217 10	217 6
1952 : June	366 2	260 11	256 7	261 6	261 3	277 0	260 5	261 7	263 0
1953 : June	357 11	279 11	274 10	280 0	279 3	297 4	280 0	280 7	283 0
1954 : June	368 1	282 0	277 7	282 6	281 3	300 0	282 5	282 10	285 9
1955 : June	391 2	292 10	282 2	289 10	296 5	307 8	289 6	292 3	297 3
1956 : June	407 8	304 6	296 4	304 5	307 8	321 2	303 10	305 0	310 7
1957 : June	419 3	315 5	308 8	317 3	319 0	332 4	315 8	316 5	323 8
1958 : June	400 9	321 0	314 4	324 6	324 5	339 6	322 6	322 7	329 7
1959 : March	402 4	321 6	314 7	325 4	325 6	340 0	323 3	323 2	330 9
June	415 4	331 4	326 7	329 8	335 2	350 7	329 1	331 9	333 11
September	416 11	331 8	326 10	330 8	335 6	350 11	330 2	332 4	334 9
December	437 5	344 1	334 3	336 3	346 2	361 2	336 2	342 2	347 6

Adult Males

End of Month	Railway Services	Road and Air Transport	Shipping and Stevedoring*	Communication	Wholesale and Retail Trade	Public Administration and Professional	Amusement, Sport, and Recreation	Hotels, etc., and Personal Service	All Industrial Groups
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1939 : June	96 6	102 10	90 1	98 4	100 2	93 10	106 6	93 3	99 10
1945 : June	120 1	122 6	119 1	124 3	119 8	116 2	127 9	113 6	121 4
1951 : June	218 1	219 7	213 3	231 1	219 6	214 6	231 4	207 10	223 0
1952 : June	261 1	264 7	254 6	274 6	263 4	261 0	272 8	251 5	267 1
1953 : June	278 1	283 5	272 11	293 6	282 6	280 9	291 11	269 11	284 10
1954 : June	280 6	285 5	275 0	295 5	285 8	283 1	300 6	273 3	287 8
1955 : June	292 8	297 0	277 9	316 3	293 11	290 7	317 10	277 9	298 2
1956 : June	306 9	311 5	288 7	328 0	311 5	303 10	333 11	290 0	311 10
1957 : June	318 10	325 9	311 1	337 11	323 5	315 3	345 8	303 11	324 0
1958 : June	324 10	332 5	316 3	343 2	330 9	322 4	351 9	309 10	329 1
1959 : March	325 11	333 3	316 9	342 2	331 8	323 0	353 9	310 4	329 10
June	332 9	339 2	329 2	358 3	336 0	328 5	362 8	318 3	337 6
September	332 9	340 3	329 5	358 6	336 11	329 2	363 2	318 9	338 2
December	346 11	350 8	339 1	386 5	341 11	340 5	377 5	327 1	349 0

Adult Females

End of Month	Manufacturing: Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	Manufacturing: Textiles, Clothing, and Footwear	Manufacturing: Food, Drink, and Tobacco	Manufacturing: Other Manufacturing	Manufacturing: All Manufacturing	Transport and Communication	Wholesale and Retail Trade	Public Administration and Professional	Hotels, etc., and Personal Service	All Industrial Groups
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1951 : June	153 6	152 3	148 5	149 10	151 6	160 10	153 11	150 3	149 4	152 3
1952 : June	186 4	183 9	179 6	182 1	183 5	192 11	186 1	184 1	181 4	184 5
1953 : June	201 10	197 9	194 9	197 1	198 1	207 4	200 2	198 9	195 2	198 10
1954 : June	203 4	199 6	196 4	198 8	199 9	209 5	201 11	200 7	197 5	200 8
1955 : June	203 11	200 0	198 0	198 10	200 4	213 2	208 0	204 10	200 1	203 5
1956 : June	212 8	208 5	220 7	207 11	210 7	222 4	222 4	214 10	209 1	214 5
1957 : June	220 11	217 11	216 5	216 5	218 0	230 11	231 3	225 5	217 6	222 10
1958 : June	227 10	222 3	223 3	224 3	224 0	235 11	239 8	230 6	225 6	229 6
1959 : March	236 1	224 1	236 9	232 0	229 11	241 11	253 9	244 7	230 9	238 4
June	242 2	234 7	239 6	238 9	237 9	249 10	257 10	247 3	237 11	244 7
September	242 5	234 7	242 0	240 1	238 5	250 0	258 3	247 8	238 2	245 1
December	246 3	239 3	245 1	242 10	242 3	260 4	260 2	253 4	243 4	249 1

* Average rates of wage are for occupations other than masters, officers, and engineers in the Merchant Marine Service, and include value of keep (where supplied).

No. 8. Rates of Wages in Various Industries at 31st December, 1957 and 1958

Hours of Work. The forty-hour week was prescribed by Act of the Parliament of New South Wales as the standard for ndustries within State jurisdiction as from 1st July, 1947, and by judgment of the Commonwealth Court for persons working under Commonwealth awards and agreements from the first pay period in January, 1948. Except where indicated by footnote, the hours in industries for which wages are shown are 40 per week.

Industry and Occupation.	Minimum Wage per Week at 31st December	
	1957.	1958.
ADULT MALES		
	s. d.	s. d.
WOOD, FURNITURE, SAWMILLS, ETC.—		
Cooper	338 0	343 0
Furniture—		
Cabinetmaker, chairmaker, french polisher, wood carver, wood machinist	342 0	345 0
Sawmilling and Timber Yards—		
Box and casemaker	303 0	308 0
Labourer	277 0	282 0
Machinist—		
Boults carver, shaping, moulding.	333 0	338 0
Planing	306/- and 333/-	311/- and 338/-
Orderman	311 0	316 0
Sawyer—		
Band or jig	305/6 to 338/-	310/6 to 343/-
Circular	308/- and 330/-	313/- and 335/-
Tallyman	306 0	311 0
ENGINEERING, METALWORKS, ETC.—		
Boilermaking—		
Boilermaker	338 0	343 0
Helper	286 0	291 0
Labourer	272 0	277 0
Electrical Installation—		
Mechanic	351 0	354 0
Electrical Supply—		
Fitter	397 0	400 0
Fitter, Sub-station maintenance	400 0	403 0
Instrument maker	421 0	424 0
Linesman, 1st Grade	367/- and 382/-	370/- and 385/-
Engineering—		
Blacksmith, coppersmith	340 6	345 6
Brassfinisher, tradesman	313/- and 338/-	318/- and 343/-
Fitter, turner	338 0	343 0
Labourer	272 0	277 0
Patternmaker	360 6	365 6
Striker, blacksmith's	286/- and 290/6	291/- and 295/6
Foundry—		
Core maker, Jobbing	338 0	343 0
Coremaker, Machine	291/- to 313/-	296/- to 318/-
Dresser,	286/- to 310/6	291/- to 315/6
Furnaceman	300/6 to 308/-	305/6 to 313/-
Moulder, jobbing	338/-	343/-
Moulder, machine	291/- to 313/-	296/0 to 318/-
Sheet Metal Working—		
Canister maker	293 0	298 0
Machinist,	285 0	290 0
Solderer	285/- and 293/-	290/- and 298/-
Sheet metal worker, 1st Class	338 0	343 0
FOOD, DRINKS, ETC.—		
Baking (Bread)—		
Board hand	353 0	356 0
Bread carter	330 0	333 0
Ovensman	361 6	364 6
Single hand	358 0	361 0
Baking (Biscuits and Cakes)—		
Baker	321 0	324 0
Labourer	288 6	291 6
Mixer, dough or syrup	303/- and 308/6	306/- and 311/6
Brewing—		
Cellarman	313/- and 320/-	318/- and 325/-
Driver (motor, 3 tons)	327 0	332 0
Malt hand, labourer	313 0	318 0
Towerman	320 0	325 0
Butchering (Retail)—		
Carter (1 horse)	306 0	311 0
General butcher, shopman	338 0	343 0
Smallgoods man, shopman	338 0	343 0
Confectionery—		
Confectioner (Grade 1)	327 0	330 0
Storeman	310 0	313 0
Jam Making—		
General labourer	282 0	287 0
Solderer	287 0	292 0
Meat Packing—		
Capper, seamer	328 0	331 0
Guillotine hand	307 0	310 0
Jokerman	321 0	324 0
Packer	307 0	310 0
Milling (Flour)—		
Miller, shift	342/6 to 380/-	347/6 to 385/-
Packerman	318 0	323 0
Purifierman, smutterman, topman	322 6	327 6
Storeman (Head)	325/- and 333/-	330/- and 338/-
Pastrycooking—		
Packer	303 0	306 0
Pastrycook	337 0	350 0

Industry and Occupation.	Minimum Wage per Week at 31st December	
	1957.	1958.
	s. d.	s. d.
CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS, ETC.—		
Bootmaking—Clicker	312 0	317 0
Tailoring (Order), Men's—		
Cutter	420 0	423 0
Presser	315 0	320 0
Tailor	326 0	331 0
Tailoring (Readymade). Men's—		
Cutter	331 0	336 0
Presser, trimmer	315 0	320 0
Tailor	326 0	331 0
Textile Working (Woollen Mills)—		
Carder, spinner	290 0	295 0
Dyehouseman	295 0	300 0
Labourer (general)	261 0	266 0
Scourer (wool)	304 6	309 6
Tuner	282/- to 328/-	287/- to 333/-
Warper (plain)	293 0	298 0
BOOKS, PRINTING, BINDING, ETC.—		
Bookbinding—		
Finisher, bookbinder, paper ruler	338 0	343 0
Printing (Daily Newspaper)—		
Compositor (machine)—		
Day work	†	433 0
Night work		453 0
Publisher—		
Day work		358 0
Night work		378 0
Reader—		
Day work		308 0
Night work		418 0
Stereotyper—		
Day work		388 6
Night work		408 6
Printing (Jobbing Offices)—		
Compositor	338/- to 360/6	343/- to 365/6
Linotype operator	360 6	365 6
Machinist	338 0	343 0
Reader	345 6	350 6
Stereotyper	338 0	343 0
OTHER MANUFACTURING—		
Brickmaking—		
Burner	310/6 and 318/6	313/6 and 321/6
Drawer, setter	340 6	343 6
Pitman	333 6	336 4
Trucker	329 0	332 0
Coachmaking—		
Bodymaker, 1st Class	338 0	343 0
Labourer	266 0	271 0
Painter, spray	291/6 to 330/6	296/6 to 335/6
Spring fitter	338 0	343 0
Trimmer	313/- and 330/6	318/- and 335/6
Gas-making and Supply—		
Coke trimmer	295 0	300 0
Gasfitter	363 0	366 0
Labourer	306 0	311 0
Meter tester	303/- and 318/-	308/- and 323/-
Service layer	323 0	328 0
Service layer's labourer	292 0	297 0
Operator, retort house	313 0	318 0
Jewellery—		
Chainmaker	340 0	343 0
Leather and Canvas Work—		
Canvas worker	303 0	308 0
Leather worker	313 0	318 0
Tanning and Currying—		
Beamsman	316 6	321 6
Labourer	286 6	291 6
Lime jobber	314 6	319 6
Machinist—		
Shaving	324 0	329 0
Splitting	331/6 to 341/6	336/6 to 346/6
Unhairing	316 6	321 6
Tableman	310/6 to 317/6	315/6 to 322/6
BUILDING*—		
Bricklayer (surface)	373 4	376 8
Carpenter	381 8	385 0
Painter	370 0	372 6
Signwriter	385 0	388 4
Plasterer (surface)	378 4	381 8
Plumber	386 0	389 3
Labourer, builder's: Skilled	323 4	329 2
Unskilled	312 6	318 4
MINING—		
Coal Mining—		
Miner, machine	347/6 and 370/6‡	375 6
Miner, manual (drywork)	347 6 ‡	352 6 ‡
Other Mining—		
Miner, machine	316/- to 341/6 ‡	319/- to 344/6
Miner manual (drywork)	316/- to 329/- ‡	319/- to 332/-

* Rates are weekly equivalents of hourly rates. They include allowances for leave, holidays, following the job, etc.

† Not available.

‡ Piece-work rates normally operate for these occupations, but minimum weekly wage rates are as shown.

No. 8. Rates of Wages in Various Industries at 31st December, 1957 and 1958 (*continued*)

ADULT MALES (*continued*)

Industry and Occupation.	Minimum Wage per Week at 31st December 1957	Minimum Wage per Week at 31st December 1958
	s. d.	s. d.
RAILWAY AND TRAMWAY SERVICES—		
Railways—		
Engine driver—		
Steam, diesel electric, electric ...	390/- and 405/-	393/- and 408/-
Express, mail or passenger ...	420 0	423 0
Shunting engine	345/- and 360/-	348/- and 363/-
Fireman—		
Ordinary	307/6 and 322/6	310/6 and 325/6
Express, mail, or passenger ...	330 0	333 0
Shunting engine	294/- to 303/6	297/- to 306/6
Guard—		
1st class	330/- to 348/-	333/- to 351/-
2nd class	324 0	327 0
Porter	287/- to 293/-	290/- to 296/-
Shunter—		
Head*	382/6 to 408/-	385/6 to 411/-
Leading*	340/6 to 366/6	343/6 to 369/6
Ordinary*	303/- to 324/-	306/- to 327/-
Signalman—		
1st class*	386 6	389 6
2nd class	371 6	374 6
3rd class	360 0	363 0
Tramways—		
Conductor—		
1st year	295 0	298 0
Thereafter	310 0	313 0
Labourer	293 0	296 0
Track repairer	293/- and 306/-	296/- and 309/-
Tram driver	322 6	325 6
Pitman	322 6	325 6
TRANSPORT (OTHER)—		
Carrying—Merchandise—		
Carter—		
1 horse	306 0	309 0
2 horses	315 0	318 0
Stablehand	306 6	309 6
Motor Lorries and Waggons—		
Driver—		
Over 1 ton and up to 3 tons ...	324/- and 333/-	327/- and 336/-
Over 3 tons and under 6 tons ...	337/6 to 346/6	340/6 to 349/6
Wharf labourer per hour (ordinary cargo)	10 2	10 4
AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, ETC.—		
Farming—		
Milker†	295 0	298 0
Chaffcutter feeder	310 0	313 0
Pastoral Workers—		
Cook (without keep) ‡	640 0	645 3
Shearer, machine (no rations) per 100 ordinary flock sheep	152 3	153 9
Shed hand (without keep)¶ ...	474 5	480 3
Wool presser (without keep) ...	528 10	534 9
Fruit harvester§	265/- to 274/-	270/- to 279/-
Gardening—		
Gardener	322 6	325 6
Labourer	310 0	313 0
Nurseryman	330 0	333 0
HOTELS, ETC.—		
Hotels—		
Barman	303 0	308 0
Cook : First	304/- to 378/-	309/- to 383/-
Second	305/6 to 334/-	310/6 to 339/-
Other	293 0	298 0
Porter, Handyman, Kitchenman, Waiter	283 0	288 0
Hairdressing—		
Hairdresser (men's)	330/- to 340/-	333/- to 343/-
GENERAL LABOUR—		
Factory Engine Driving—		
Engine driver, steam—		
1st class (with condenser) ...	315/6 and 326/-	320/6 and 331/-
2nd class ,, ,, ...	305/- and 315/6	310/- and 320/6
Fireman—		
1st class	308 0	313 0
2nd class	295 6	300 6
Municipal—		
Labourer (general)	333 0	336 0
Street sweeper	339 0	342 0
Shop Assistants—		
Salesman—Boot, drapery, furniture, grocery, hardware, men's clothing	322 0	335 0
Storemen and Packers—		
Packer (general)	310/- and 314/-	313/- and 317/-
Storeman (general)	310/- and 314/-	313/- and 317/-

ADULT FEMALES

Industry and Occupation.	Minimum Wage per Week at 31st December 1957	Minimum Wage per Week at 31st December 1958
	s. d.	s. d.
CLOTHING—		
Bootmaking	214 0	217 6
Dressmaking, Ready-made-Cutter ...	198/- to 233/-	210/6 to 236/6
Shirt making, underclothing, millinery—Cutter	233 0	236 6
Tailoring—		
Order, men's—		
Adult Female	198 0	201 6
Coat hand (machinist)	233 0	236 6
Tailoress	254 0	257 6
Trousers and vest hand	218 6	222 0
Readymade. men's—		
Adult Female	198 0	201 6
Coat hand (machinist)	221 6	225 0
Trousers and vest hand	215 6	219 0
TEXTILE WORKING WOOLLEN MILLS—		
Comb minder	212 0	215 6
Darner and mender	214/- and 217/-	217/6 and 220/6
Warper (plain)	214 0	217 6
Weaver (loom)	217 0	220 6
FOOD—		
Biscuit making	204 4	206 4
Confectionery	216 6	218 6
BOOKS, PRINTING, ETC.—		
Bookbinding—		
Folder, Sewer	221 0	225 0
Cardboard Box—		
Boxmaker	216/- to 225/6	220/- to 229/6
Other	209 6	213 6
HOTELS—		
Barmaid	234 6	238 6
Housemaid	214 0	218 0
Laundress	215 0	219 0
Waitress (other than Head)	214 0	218 0
SHOP ASSISTANTS—		
Boot and Shoe saleswoman	234/6 and 322/-	244/- and 335/-
Drapery saleswoman	234/6 and 322/-	244/- and 335/-

* 76 hours per fortnight.
† 48 hours per week.
‡ Hours not regulated.
¶ 40 hour week plus up to half an hour per day to finish picking up the fleeces, etc.
§ 44 hours per week.

No. 9. Wages and Salaries Paid and Average Earnings, N.S.W.*, 1948–49 to 1958–59

Year	Total Wages and Salaries Paid : Weekly Average†					Average Weekly Earnings per Male Unit‡				
	Sept. Qr.	Dec. Qr.	March Qr.	June Qr.	Year	Sept. Qr.	Dec. Qr.	March Qr.	June Qr.	Year
	£ thousand					£	£	£	£	£
1948–49	7,892	8,571	7,826	8,827	8,279	8·73	9·39	8·51	9·54	9·04
1949–50	8,221	9,675	9,108	9,997	9,250	9·23	10·27	9·57	10·43	9·89
1950–51	10,354	11,612	11,775	13,295	11,759	10·69	11·83	11·84	13·28	11·92
1951–52	13,820	15,436	14,472	15,385	14,778	13·75	15·26	14·42	15·54	14·74
1952–53	15,310	16,084	14,535	15,759	15,422	15·73	16·72	15·10	16·30	15·96
1953–54	15,962	17,253	15,756	16,949	16,480	16·44	17·51	15·86	16·96	16·69
1954–55	17,290	18,599	17,083	18,907	17,970	17·21	18·27	16·70	18·37	17·64
1955–56	19,267	20,522	18,978	20,289	19,764	18·57	19·63	18·16	19·32	18·92
1956–57	20,363	21,904	20,144	21,303	20,943	19·43	20·76	19·09	20·29	19·89
1957–58	21,289	22,741	20,630	21,995	21,664	20·18	21·44	19·43	20·70	20·44
1958–59	22,129	23,601	21,185	22,740	22,414	20·83	22·11	19·88	21·32	21·04

* Includes Australian Capital Territory.
† Excludes pay of members of the armed forces.
‡ Total wages divided by total civil employment expressed in male units. Male units equal the number of males plus a proportion of females based on the approximate ratio of average female earnings to average male earnings.
NOTE. Comparisons as to trend should be made for complete years or corresponding quarters. The quarters are affected by seasonal influences.